

BOMBARDED ON ALL SIDES

REVEL PETITIONS FOR NEW TRIAL

On the Grounds of Newly Discovered Evidence—Fortune Teller in the Case

Laurent Revel, the famous globe trotter, through his attorneys, William H. Bent and A. O. Hamel, petitioned Judge Pratt for a new trial of his case with Cordelia Vlen, on the grounds of newly discovered evidence. The affidavit of Mr. Revel's new witness, Mrs. Melanie Landry, was presented to the judge in the probate court room this morning, and after hearing the arguments from both sides, the judge said he would take the matter under consideration.

The case of Revel vs. Vlen was tried twice and a short time ago exceptions taken at the last trial were filed in the supreme court.

The case which is one where Revel sued Mrs. Vlen, proprietor of the Merrimack hotel in this city, for the recovery of a certain sum of money which he claims he loaned the defendant, was heard by J. Gilbert Pratt as master some time ago. His decision was in favor of the globe trotter, his finding being over \$5,000. Mrs. Vlen appealed from the finding and the case was tried a few months ago in the superior court without jury, Judge Pratt presiding. He also found for the plaintiff, but for a little over \$1500.

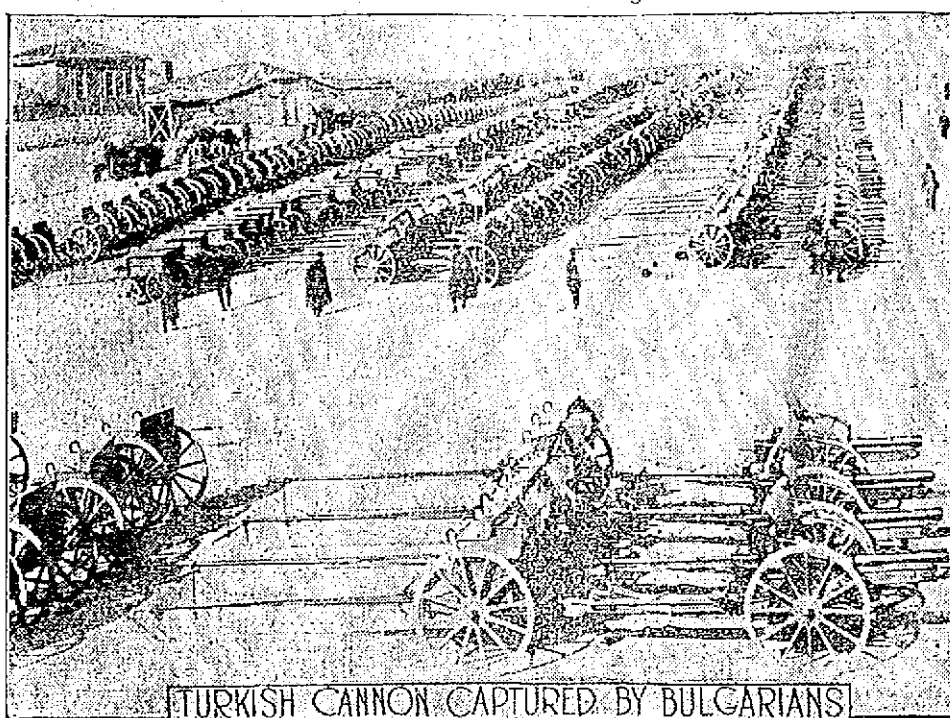
Now the plaintiff comes with a petition for a new trial on the grounds of newly discovered evidence. His new witness is Mrs. Melanie Landry, who is a fortune teller. In her affidavit presented the court this morning she

said she lives at 159 Pawtucket street and said she knows Mrs. Vlen and Mr. Revel and that the former told her on one occasion she owed Revel \$5000. She said she told Mrs. Vlen one day "Why don't you settle up the case?" and the reply from Mrs. Vlen was that she did not owe the sum Revel claimed was due him. She said she advised Mrs. Vlen to see Revel to settle, to which Mrs. Vlen replied she did not care to see him, but would like to have him write to her. She said at the request of Mrs. Vlen she went with her to Revel's room and there Mrs. Vlen had a talk with him.

Mrs. Vlen in her affidavit makes a general denial of Mrs. Landry's testimony, and her reply is as follows: "I know Mr. Revel and Mrs. Landry, the latter having visited me often at the Merrimack house. I never told the woman I owed Revel money. Mrs. Landry came to see me at the Merrimack house and she wanted me to go to Revel's room. The day of the trial I went over to see Mrs. Landry to have her come to court, but she refused. The only time I went to see Mrs. Landry was when I wanted my fortune told, and I always paid her for her services, and Mrs. Landry told me that Revel went to her house several times."

Messrs. Bent and Hamel argued the case and the judge reserved his decision to a later date.

ATTACK ON ADRIANOPLE CONTINUES WITHOUT INTERRUPTION



TURKISH CANNON CAPTURED BY BULGARIANS

Heavy Siege Guns of the Servian Army Are Being Directed on Fortress—Many Houses in Flames

CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 5.—The 45 hour bombardment of Adrianople by the Bulgarians and Servians has thus far not proven very disastrous to the city. Eight inhabitants had been killed up to this morning; 50 private houses had been set on fire.

Shukri Pasha, the commander in chief of Adrianople, reported by wireless telegraph to the war office here today: "The enemy is bombarding us. One hundred and thirty eight common shells and 11 shrapnel have fallen in the city, killing eight people and wounding ten. A number of houses are in flames. The bombardment continues."

NO INTERRUPTION IN THE BOMBARDMENT OF ADRIANOPLE

LONDON, Feb. 5.—The bombardment of Adrianople, which opened on Monday, proceeded without interruption

today, according to a semi-official telegram from Sofia. A report was spread today that the Bulgarians had decided to suspend operations for 24 hours, so as to give the Turkish garrison an opportunity of surrendering. This, however, appears to be without foundation. A message from Belgrade, Servia, today speaks of the "heroic conduct" of a couple of Servian regiments of infantry which are said to have participated in an attack on the outer circles of the forts, but there is no means of verifying this or any of the reports as such fighting as may be in progress is taking place behind a screen, so far as the outside world is concerned. Dependence has to be placed on the more or less biased stories given out by the respective army headquarters for only on extremely rare occasions can a newspaper correspondent succeed in circumventing the censorship.

ADRIANOPLE BOMBARDED ON ALL SIDES BY THE SERVANS

SOPIA, Bulgaria, Feb. 5.—The bombardment of Adrianople continued today on all sides of the city, the heavy siege guns brought up by the Servian troops being trained on the principal works of the fortress.

The headquarters of the Bulgarian army at the front report that yesterday passed without any fighting along the Tachatalia lines in front of Constantinople.

TURKISH MINISTER OF WAR LEFT CONSTANTINOPLE FOR THE FRONT

CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 5.—Mahmoud Shekfat Pasha, Turkish grand vizier and minister of war, left here today for the front at the Tchatalja lines.

DECREASE IN RUNNING EXPENSES

Report of Water Department for 1912 Submitted by Commissioner Barrett

Andrew E. Barrett, commissioner of water works and fire department, has submitted the statistical portion of his annual report of the water department for 1912 and the report shows a decrease in the running expenses of the department of \$15,825.39 as compared with the expenses of 1911. Instead of a balance, Jan. 1, 1912, there was a deficit of \$1267.59 and as against this deficit on Jan. 1, 1912 there was a balance of \$14,557.70. Mr. Barrett is the first of the commissioners to submit an annual report and he said today that his report on the fire department would be ready within a day or two. The figures contained in the water department report for the year are as follows:

Maintenance	Expended 1911	Expended 1912
Water board salary	\$1,600.00	\$1,600.00
Supt. salary	2,000.00	2,000.00
Asst. supt.	1,300.00	1,300.00
Office and inspection	9,231.01	9,072.17
Pumping stations	20,698.02	17,292.33
Pipe extensions	8,818.16	7,818.16
Services	5,192.01	7,818.01

Repairing and setting meters	4,711.52	4,193.13
Engineering	7,020.85	821.11
Gen. maintenance	58,776.59	28,700.27
Total	\$118,896.71	\$75,385.53

Material		
Pumping stations	\$2,555.22	\$1,991.51
Fuel	10,129.78	11,970.70
Cast iron pipe	11,232.50	11,628.77
Hydants and gates	3,581.05	2,539.02
Small pipe	7,529.57	2,114.68
Valves	2,175.01	5,562.74
Machinery & tools	2,711.37	452.14
Stable	2,490.11	1,037.39
Automobiles	2,740.77	1,222.31
Miscellaneous	10,219.50	4,581.69
Totals	\$58,776.11	\$50,325.99

Interest, Etc.		
Interest	\$10,314.12	\$16,935.38
Payments	8,790.99	18,790.69
Retirements, etc.	199.36	421.58
Total	\$58,776.11	\$86,058.89

Grand total	\$239,189.39	\$191,765.11
Receipts	\$239,189.39	\$239,189.39
Balance Jan. 1, 1912		
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Receipts 1912	\$239,189.39	
Expended 1912	\$191,765.11	
Bal. Jan. 1, 1913	\$14,557.70	

FUNERAL OF LT. GARTY U. S. A.

Held at the National Cemetery, Arlington, Va., Monday

With full military honors, the remains of the late Lieut. George Garity, U. S. A., of this city, were laid at rest in the National cemetery in Arlington, Va., on Monday. The lieutenant died in Little Rock, Ark., last Wednesday after only a few days' illness. At his own request his body was taken to the National cemetery at Arlington for burial.

The funeral took place from Little Rock, Ark., and the body was sent to Arlington, Va., where it was received by a corps from the U. S. artillery and U. S. cavalry. A delegation from the former acted as bearers and the casket draped with the national colors was placed on a caisson and taken to the burial grounds, escorted by military men.

At the grave the committal prayers were read by Rev. Charles A. Hutchinson of Philadelphia, a close friend of the deceased, and a volley was fired and taps were sounded by the cavalry.

Attending the funeral was the wife of the deceased and her son, Rosalie, both of this city. There are many friends of the dead lieutenant in Lowell who regret they could not attend the funeral. Had the burial been held here the military companies would have turned out in full numbers to honor the dead soldier.



THE LATE LIEUT. GEORGE GARTY, U. S. A.

BOMB SENDER IN COURT TODAY

J. P. Farrell Was Arraigned Before Coroner—Will Await Action of Grand Jury

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—J. P. Farrell, confessed bomb sender, was arraigned before the coroner today and remanded to await the action of the grand jury. Unkempt, unshaven, shabby and almost senile, Farrell slouched before the coroner and declined to add a word to his statements of yesterday. You are charged with having placed, on Saturday night, a bomb in the apartment house which caused the death of Mrs. Madeline Herrera. Have you anything to say? inquired the coroner.

"I have nothing to say," replied Farrell. "What is your occupation?" "I am a janitor, a laborer, I do anything I can get to do." The police have confirmed the prisoner's placing the Herrera bomb, but they have not established whether he fired or has had hallucinations with reference to the bomb which killed Mrs. Helen Taylor and the bomb sent to Judge Otto Roskens.

Farrell says he sent them.

Headline Exploded
Harry Dromelas, an employee of the Federal Shoe Co., had his right arm badly burned while at work there today. The ambulance was summoned at once and the injured man was taken to the Lowell General hospital. The man was operating what is known as a treeing machine connected with which there is a flame. He started to open a can of benzine, apparently too near the machine, for no sooner had he removed the cover than it exploded severely burning his right arm. Fortunately, those near at hand came quickly to his rescue and stopped further damage from the flaming benzine. The man was treated at the hospital.

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MAYOR O'DONNELL HONOR GUEST

Of Lowell Club in Springfield--D. S. O'Brien Toastmaster

Mayor James E. O'Donnell, of this city was the guest of honor and principal speaker at the reunion and banquet of the Lowell club, of Springfield, Mass., a progressive organization of Springfield business men, all of whom are former residents of this city. The affair was held at the Hotel Kimball, at which it might be remarked incidentally, a former Lowell man, Mr. Peter Clune, presides over the tontorial department.

Preceding the banquet Mayor O'Donnell held a reception at which he was greeted not only by all of the former Lowell men now living in Springfield, but also Chairman Henry Busker of the board of aldermen who represented Mayor Denison, President C. P. Chase of the Springfield board of trade, Emmett Hay Naylor, secretary of the board of trade and many prominent citizens of Springfield.

At the banquet the presiding officer was Jas. J. Fitzgerald, president of the Lowell club and a former employe



DANIEL S. O'BRIEN, Formerly of Lowell

of the old Lowell and Suburban street railway company in this city. The toastmaster was Daniel S. O'Brien of this city who also conducts a successful "Smart Clothes" shop in Springfield. A prominent member of the club and one of the speakers of the evening was Hon. James B. Carroll, former candidate for lieutenant-governor and a native of Lowell.

Mayor O'Donnell received an ovation upon being introduced and in opening he said: The late Henry Ward Beecher once remarked that there is only one nation on this continent and that is New England. The modest Lowellmen after experience at home and elsewhere are strongly of the opinion that there is only one city on earth and that is Lowell. Wherever Lowellians make their homes, there is Lowell. They may become leaders in the affairs of other communities but they never forget the old home; their loyalty never wanes. And when I say they may become leaders in the affairs of other communities I have not a shining example here in Springfield, in the person of a distinguished member of this club, (Hon. James B. Carroll) who after leaving the good old "Aere" district, the birthplace of many another man who has since attracted the attention of his fellow-men, came to Springfield, decided that it would be his future home and then with a partner (his wife), also from the old place, the subject assigned to his honor being the experience of Lowell under the commission form of government, a popular subject of discussion in Springfield at the present time, he then presented at length a resume of the first year under the new charter, taking up the different features of the new form as compared with the old and rehearsing the experiences of the different departments. In concluding his remarks His Honor said: "I entered upon the duties of mayor unadvised, and prepared to take advantage of every opportunity afforded me by the charter to make my administration a success. As I have administered I have also studied. I am still studying."

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BIG BILL WANTS MONEY FOR "INFO"

Keliher Will Not Give District Attorney Whitman Facts Unless He is Paid

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—William Keliher, the "con" man now serving a term in the Charles town state prison, wants District Atty Whitman of New York to pay him money before he will furnish any information in support of his declaration that he purchased protection from the police while running a "pool room" in this city.

Deputy Assistant District Attorney P. J. Grochi so reported today to Mr. Whitman on his return from Boston, where he had an interview with Keliher yesterday. Keliher told Mr. Whitman's representative he had, in fact, paid graft to the police in New York but refused to go into details. He said Mr. Whitman would either have to "come across" with the "long green" or the Massachusetts authorities would have to grant him "concessions that he would make it worth while to tell what he knew." He added, however, that he would consult with counsel in the matter and would let Mr. Whitman know by Saturday just what his "terms" would be.

Another interview with him on Monday, United States Dist. Attorney Asa P. French of Boston, who convicted Keliher of complicity in the looting of the National City bank of Cambridge, told Grochi that the man had "a passion for sensationalism" and was wholly unworthy of belief.

"I doubt very much," said Mr. Whitman today, "that he will give us anything that we can rely on. He told Grochi a lot of sensational stories about police graft in New York but refused to give names, dates and places. He said, for instance, that the police helped him to make fake raids on his poolroom and that they had supplied him with police uniforms which his own employees frequently used for the same purpose. This is important, if true. I doubt it."

EAGLES, NOTICE!
All members of the Lowell Aerie No. 223, are requested to be present at the home of our late brother, John J. Lyack, 15 Second avenue, tomorrow evening (Thursday, Feb. 6) at 8 o'clock, when the exercises of our order will be held. Per order
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full of solid worth and wear. The standard price everywhere
is 50c yard. Special for this sale, yard..... **39c**

75c WHITE GROUND FOULARD AT 49c

27 inches wide; this lot includes a great many of the best imported qual-
ities as well as the standard showerproof make; every fibre pure silk.
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Beautiful combinations of satin stripes on changeable two-toned ground,
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Black Satin Duchess, 36 inch, value \$1.25. Sale price..... 85c Yard
Black Satin Duchess, 36 inch, value \$1.39. Sale price..... \$1.00 Yard
Black Taffeta Silk, 36 inch, value 50c. Sale price..... 69c Yard
Black Taffeta Silk, 36 inch, value \$1.00. Sale price..... 79c Yard
Satin Messaline, 19 inch, value 50c. Sale price..... 39c Yard
Satin Messaline, 27 inch, value 75c. Sale price..... 59c Yard
Satin Messaline, 36 inch, value \$1.10. Sale price..... 85c Yard
Black Peau de Soie, 36 inch, value \$1.15. Sale price..... 79c Yard
36 Inch Peau de Soie, value \$1.25. Sale price..... 85c Yard
Peau de Soie, 36 inch, value \$1.75. Sale price..... \$1.25 Yard
Peau de Cygne, 36 inch, value \$1.10. Sale price..... 89c Yard
Black Brocade, 36 inch, value \$1.25. Sale price..... 89c Yard
Satin Messaline, 36 inch, value \$1.00. Sale price..... 79c Yard
Satin Messaline, 36 inch, value \$1.39. Sale price..... \$1.10 Yard
Black Gros Grain, 21 inch, value \$1.00. Sale price..... 75c Yard

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The celebrated four in one quality, all silk, water-proof, perspiration-
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27 inches wide, extra heavy, regular price 89c. Sale price..... 69c Yard
36 inches wide, extra heavy, regular price \$1.00. Sale price..... 89c Yard

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Beautiful quality, all pure silk, very dainty for dresses, waists, fine
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36 inches wide, regular price 89c. Sale price..... 69c Yard

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36 inches wide, regular value 75c yard. Sale price..... 59c Yard
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89c BROCADED SATINS AT 69c YARD

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This is a style leader for evening gowns and dressy street wear, has
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quality of wool; 20 of the latest colors and shades to choose from.
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Regular price \$1.00. Sale price, yard.....
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TRIAL OF F. O. BEACH RESUMED

Millionaire is Charged With Attacking Wife With Murderous Intent

AIKEN, N. C., Feb. 5.—When the trial of F. O. Beach, the millionaire charged with attacking his wife with murderous intent, was resumed here today only minor witnesses remained to be heard for the state, and indications were that the defense would introduce only three witnesses, including Mrs. Beach. There was doubt if the defendant would testify.

The court room was crowded when the trial was resumed, Beach and his wife arrived early, accompanied by Mrs. Taylor and Miss Hollins. Sheriff H. H. Howard, who was chief of police of Aiken at the time of the assault, was recalled by Prosecutor Gunter to identify some footprints dug outside the yard of the beach cottage. Howard said rural policeman Holley had told him the footprints were his. A. Klorens, editor of a local paper, testified he examined the Beachs the night of the assault and found evidence of a struggle in the side yard. He said he was with the chief

of police when the latter found the earplugs and comb belonging to Mrs. Beach and the bloodstained fence picket. He said one of the earrings was crushed. He expressed the opinion that they were paste and worth about \$2.

On cross examination the witness said he thought a blow from the fence picket on the side of a woman's head would have been sufficient to knock the earring from her ear.

"But it wouldn't knock the earring from the other side of her head, would it?" asked Prosecutor Gunter.

"Not likely," replied the witness.

Policeman Holley, the next witness, was asked if he had any conversation with Beach the night of the assault about the value of the earring afterward found.

"Yes, Beach said his wife had lost a pair of earrings. He said he did not know the exact value, but they were worth \$4000 or \$5000," replied Holley.

TEWKSBURY GRANGE MEETING

Held With Large Attendance—Entertainment Given—Coming Events Announced

The members of Tewksbury grange held a very important and interesting meeting last night in Vestry hall, Tewksbury Centre. There was a large attendance and at the close of the business meeting the doors were opened and all who wished to attend were welcomed. Among the newcomers were some 15 school children, who were deeply interested in the entertainment. Of course there was a reason.

At the last meeting of the grange it was voted to open a contest for the school children, and suitable prizes were gotten for the occasion. The contest consisted of the best essay or report of the public meeting, and the copies will be submitted to the grange officers, and prizes awarded at the next meeting.

State Overseer Chapman of Ludlow was present and the business meeting was presided over by Overseer Daniel Pike. Two applications for membership were received and considerable business concerning the grange was disposed of.

At the close of the business meeting the public was admitted and a varied entertainment program was rendered. The first number on the program consisted of several vocal selections by State Overseer Chapman and the singer was forced to respond to several encores, his singing being so pleasing. He later gave a valuable address on the good of the order.

A very interesting number was a debate on "Equal Suffrage," many taking part in the conversation. It was rumored that several men spoke on the question and that their sentiment was really in favor of equal suffrage, and a good proof of this was given at the close of the debate when a vote was

taken and the result was 19 in favor as against 5, the men who voted on the question being in favor.

"Why I Should Vote" was the title of a reading given by Mrs. Clarence Foster, and this bit of literature was well received. The final number was an interesting talk on the "Balkan War" by Mr. Albert J. Trull.

During the time the entertainment was going on, the several school children who were admitted into the hall were seated and took notes as only a reporter would do.

The grange has arranged a series of entertainments for the year 1913 and the list is as follows:

Feb. 17.—Debate, The Necessities of Tewksbury Grange, Music, Valentine box.

March 3.—Conferring First and Second Degrees, Shadow pantomime.

March 17.—Conferring Third and Fourth Degrees. Third by ladies degree staff. Fourth by regular officers. Supper, inspection.

April 1.—Surprise entertainment. Reading, Mrs. Gerlish. Book party.

April 15.—Discussion. Which is the most essential to the farmer? Education or experience. Darby Branch of Tromsø Case.

May 5.—Box party. Proceeds to be given to state educational aid fund. Entertainment in charge of music committee.

May 21.—Memorial night.

June 17.—Children's night. In charge of Graces.

July 15.—Lawn party.

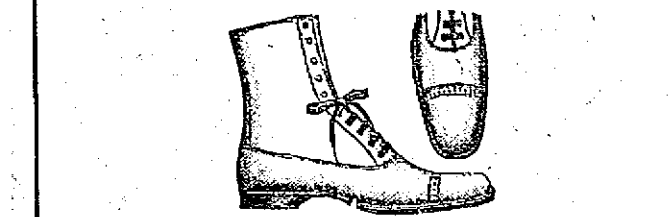
July 19.—Past masters' night.

Sept. 2.—Debate. Could a farm run on the principles of 50 years ago be successful today?

Sept. 16.—Salt diving contest for ladies. Reading, Music.

Oct. 7.—Neighbors' night. Entertainment.

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Nov. 4.—Conferring first and second degrees. Music.

Nov. 18.—Conferring third and fourth degrees. Supper.

Dec. 2.—Nomination of officers. Drama.

Dec. 16.—Election of officers.

The members of the grange are:

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Alexander, Tewksbury, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Hollings, Tewksbury, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown, Tewksbury, Mass.

Miss Ida Bridges, North Wilmington, R. F. D.

Mr. Philip Bates, Lowell, Mass., R. F. D. 1.

Mr. A. Clark, Commonwealth avenue, Lowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Olive M. Clark, 8 Western avenue, Lowell.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Van Cameron, Lowell, R. F. D. 1.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hughes, Lowell, R. F. D. 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Esther Catherwood, Epping street, Lowell.

Miss Esther Catherwood, Epping street, Lowell.

Mr. J. Carter, North Wilmington, R. F. D. 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carter, North Wilmington, R. F. D. 1.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Clark, Tewksbury, Mass.

Miss Mary Coombs, Tewksbury, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Chase, Tewksbury, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Darby, Lowell, R. F. D. 1.

Mr. and Mrs. George L. Dawson, Tewksbury, Mass.

Harry C. Dawson, Tewksbury, Mass.

George D. Farwell, Tewksbury, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Foster, Tewksbury, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Fitzgerald, Billerica, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. French, 45 Middle street, Lowell.

Ward C. Frost, Tafferville, Vt.

Mr. Clara French, Wilmington, Mass.

Miss Amelia Frost, Tewksbury, Mass.

Miss Edna D. Farmer, Tewksbury, Mass.

Miss Elsie Gerish, Tewksbury, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Foster, Lowell, R. F. D. 1.

Levi Gould, Main street, Melrose, Mass.

Mr. F. G. Guilford, Wyman's Exchange, Lowell.

Miss Nettie Guilford, Lowell, R. F. D. 1.

Mrs. Emma Greene, Wilmington, R. F. D. 1.

Mr. Fred Garland, Waverlet.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Hopper, Jr., Wilmington, R. F. D. 1.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Haines, No. Hill street, Lowell.

Miss Edith Haines, 9 May street, Lowell.

Mrs. Florence R. King, Tewksbury, Mass.

Miss Blanche King, Tewksbury, Mass.

B. King, Tewksbury, Mass.

Mrs. W. Klorans, Tewksbury, Mass.

W. T. Lewis, Tewksbury, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. James Long, No. Wilmington, R. F. D. 1.

Miss M. H. Laws, 29 Dartmouth street, Lawrence.

Mrs. Emma MacLaren, Wilmington, R. F. D. 2.

Mr. and Mrs. James Miller, Tewksbury, Mass.

Mrs. Richard Livingston, Tewksbury, Mass.

Mrs. J. H. Livingston, Tewksbury, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Norris, Tewksbury, Mass.

Miss Blanche E. Newton, Tewksbury, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Phelps, Tewksbury, Mass.

Daniel Pike, Waverlet.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Parsons, No. Billerica, R. F. D. 1.

Miss Bertha Parsons, No. Billerica, R. F. D. 1.

Miss Mildred Palmer, 53 Epping street, Lowell, R. F. D. 1.

John Ruff, Tewksbury, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Shedd, Woburn street, Lowell.

Miss Edna Small, Tewksbury, Mass.

Mr. Edna Miller Small, Tewksbury, Mass.

Miss Maria Saunders, No. Wilmington, R. F. D. 1.

Mrs. Sarah Saunders, address not known.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Trull, Lowell, R. F. D. 1.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Trull, Lowell, R. F. D. 1.

Mr. H. L. Trull, Lowell, R. F. D. 1.

The officers are:

Master, Percy Haines.

Overseer, Daniel Pike.

Steward, Harry Dawson.

Assistant steward, Fred Garland.

Chaplain, George Norris.

Treasurer, Joel Phelps.

Secretary, Olive Clark.

Gate keeper, Elmer Strickwald.

Ceres, Edna Farmer.

Pomona, Elsie Gerish.

Flora, Evelyn Newton.

Lady assistant steward, Mamie Coombs.

Planiat, Carrie Chase.

The committees are:

Executive: William Alexander, Clarence Foster, Nell Clark, and Mrs. C. E. Clark.

Relief: Lillian Miller, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Clark.

Music: Mrs. C. E. Foster, Mrs. Carrie D. Chase, Mrs. Edna Farmer.

The executive committee of the Tewksbury board of trade will hold a meeting tomorrow evening, at which time the question of a trolley express through the village will again be taken up. The following committee was appointed some time ago to confer with the officials of the Bay State Street Railway Co. on the trolley express matter: Arthur A. Foster, chairman; William Speck, Carey Waterman.

The committee did as advised and interviewed the officials of the Bay State Co., but their work was not very fruitful, for it seems that the company is not quite ready for such a project. However, this question is not going to be dropped, but more efforts will be made to secure the express, which, according to many, is a necessity in the village.

The postponed meeting of the board will be held on Feb. 13 and the feature of the evening will be an address on "Transportation" by Mr. Sawyer of Boston. The executive committee of the board has decided to have monthly lectures at the rooms, and the first will be held on Feb. 13. Now the committee is trying to have as the next speaker a man from Washington, D. C., who will speak on "Road Construction."

There are now 65 members on the board and an effort will be made to increase the membership to 100, and it is believed that this will be done.

LOWELL'S BUILDING INSPECTOR

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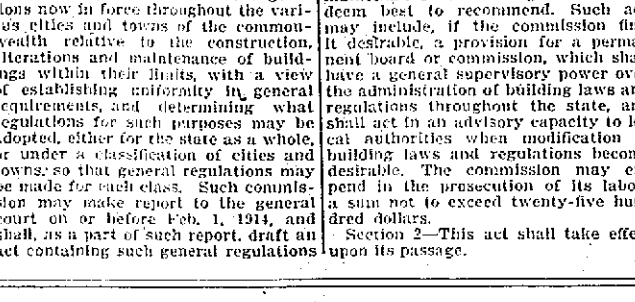
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FRANCIS CONNOR.

CARS STONED AND RAILS BLOCKED

Strikers Attacked Cars on Which Operatives Were Riding—Stone Wall Pulled Down

NORTH PROVIDENCE, R. I., Feb. 5.—Electric cars were stoned and the rails blocked by strikers at the Esmond cotton mill here today. The cars which were attacked contained operatives from another mill. Several people were cut and bruised but none seriously injured. The strikers pulled down a stone wall near a cemetery and used the stones to erect a barrier

DEADLOCK IS STILL ON

No Choice for Senator in New Hampshire

CONCORD, N. H., Feb. 5.—The regular ballot for United States senator taken in the New Hampshire legislature at noon today resulted as heretofore in no choice, but was taken under circumstances that at one time threatened to become sensational. A number of representatives arrived too late because of a delayed train to be in the hall when the balloting began and the doors were locked. They entered the public gallery and from that point addressed the speaker, demanding entrance and their constitutional right to vote, and some of them clamored down from the gallery into the hall of representatives. After debate it was voted to allow members so arriving the right to vote, the doors were opened and the ballot proceeded resulting as follows:

Whole number of votes: 415. Necessary for a choice: 210. Henry F. Hollis, 205; Edward N. Pearson, 151; Robert P. Bass, 21.

Wilson to Attend Dedication

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Feb. 5.—President-elect Wilson in a letter to David R. Francis, president of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition company, has indicated that he will attend the dedication of the Jefferson memorial here April 20.

New York Man Died in London

LONDON, Feb. 5.—Bradley Martin of New York died here this afternoon from pneumonia. Mr. Martin was in his 72nd year. His daughter, Cornelia, was married in 1893 to the Earl of Claven.

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FUNERALS

LYNCH—The many friends of John E. Lynch, a well known resident of Pawtucketville, will be grieved to learn of his death, which occurred this morning at the home of his brother, Michael J. Lynch, 15 Second avenue, after a lingering illness aged 40 years. Deceased was a valued employ of the Lowell water department and an esteemed member of various societies including the Lowell council, K. of C., the local acie of Eagles and the Holy Name Society of St. Columba's church. He leaves three brothers, Michael J., the well known jaglor of the High school; Thomas F., and Bernard E. Lynch, the latter of Lynn, Mass. and one sister, Mrs. Ellen O'Hearn.

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MEN'S CLOTH RUBBERS, former price \$1.00, sale price... 79c
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MEN'S RUBBERS, all styles, former price 75c, sale price... 59c
WOMEN'S LOW CUT RUBBERS, former price 50c, sale price... 39c
WOMEN'S TAN RUBBERS, former price \$1.00, sale price... 59c
BOYS' RUBBERS, sizes 2-12 to 6, former price 65c, sale price... 49c
LITTLE BOYS' RUBBERS, sizes 9 to 2, former price 50c, sale price... 39c
MISSES' ROLLED EDGE RUBBERS, sizes 11 to 2, former price 60c, sale price... 49c
CHILDREN'S ROLLED EDGE RUBBERS, sizes 6 to 10 1-2, former price 50c, sale price... 39c
MISSES' GOOD QUALITY RUBBERS, sizes 11 to 2, former price 50c, sale price... 39c
CHILDREN'S GOOD QUALITY RUBBERS, sizes 3 to 10 1-2, former price 40c, sale price... 29c
MEN'S HEAVY 1-BUCKLE SERVICE HEEL ARCTICS, sizes 6 to 11, former price \$1.25, sale price... 99c
MEN'S RUBBER BOOTS, all sizes, on well known make, \$4.00 quality, for... \$2.98
LITTLE BOYS' HEAVY RUBBER BOOTS, good quality, never sold for less than \$2.00, size 13 1-2 only, while they last, sale price... \$1.49
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We have just received about 100 pairs of MEN'S HEAVY TAN SHOES, made of oil tan leather, just the thing for the man out of doors, who does not like to wear rubbers, \$3.50 value, for... \$2.98
Try a can of DRI-FOOT, the great waterproof dressing, former price 25c, sale price... 19c can

Basement Bargain Dept.

THURSDAY SPECIALS

HUCK TOWELS—50 dozen good heavy huck towels, good large size, colored borders and plain white, seconds of the 12c to 19c quality. Thursday special... 10c each

40 INCH BROWN COTTON—One bale of good fine cotton, 40 inches wide, for pillow cases and sheets, 9c value on the piece. Thursday special... 6c yard

9-4 SEAMLESS SHEETING—One case of good bleached seamless sheeting, full piece, good strong cotton, 30c value. Thursday special... 23c yard

BED COMFORTERS—About 11 dozen good comforters, regular and extra size, filled with good clean cotton and good covering, in light, medium and dark colors, \$2.00 and \$2.50 values. Thursday special... \$1.50

LADIES' WOOL HOSE—Ladies' wool hose, black and oxford, plain and ribbed, 25c value. Thursday special... 15c pair

MEN'S FLEECE UNDERWEAR—Men's heavy fleeced lined underwear, shirts and drawers, broken sizes, 50c value. Thursday special... 25c

Palmer St. Basement

LADIES' \$1 NIGHT GOWNS at 55c EACH

20 Dozen Ladies' Gowns, made of fine nainsook, in about 9 different styles, garments made full length and nicely trimmed with fine lace, embroidery, beading and ribbon, \$1.00 value. Thursday special... 55c each

Merrimack St. Basement

AN INCREASE OF SALARIES VOTED

For Elementary Teachers—Matrons Restored—Appointments by Competition

NEW SCHEDULE OF TEACHERS' SALARIES ADOPTED BY THE SCHOOL BOARD

First year, (minimum).....	\$500
Second and third years.....	\$550
Fourth and fifth years.....	\$600
Sixth and seventh years.....	\$650
Eighth and ninth years.....	\$700
Tenth year.....	\$750
Eleventh and thereafter, (maximum).....	\$800

A rule was adopted providing that evening school positions will hereafter be filled by competitive examinations.

At the regular meeting of the school board held last night the recommendation of the finance committee on schedule salary increases was unanimously adopted. The schedule reduces new teachers from \$500 to \$550, but this will have to do entirely with teachers to be employed in the future. Present day teachers will not suffer a reduction and neither will the reduction apply to permanent substitute teachers. The committee on rules submitted a report making changes and additions in the rules adopted by the committee of 1912 and the report was unanimously adopted. The most important change has to do with the evening schools. The new rules, or rules as amended, establish a standard of qualification for evening school teachers and requires competitive examinations.

Mrs. Elizabeth A. Strout and Mrs. Ellen Morrison, displaced as matrons last year, were restored to their positions at the Highland and Pawtucketville schools, respectively.

The Meeting

The regular hour for meetings of the school board is 8 o'clock, but it was 9:25 o'clock when the meeting was called to order last night. Last year's board was the banner one for late meetings and it would seem as if this year's board might be a close second. There was some excuse, however, for the board being late in getting together last night inasmuch as a long conference was necessary before the meeting. The committee did not leave the hall until 2 o'clock yesterday morning, having worked all of Monday night on the rules. That is certainly making a record.

The first business after the reading of the records, last night, was the report by Dr. Bagley, for the committee on rules, recommending certain changes. The rules were read by the secretary, embodying the proposed changes and additions, after which they were adopted.

Salary Changes

Mr. Farrington, for the committee on finance, moved that Miss Vinton's salary deduction be restored, as asked, and it was so voted, without dissent.

Mr. Farrington also reported the recommendation of the finance committee on schedule salary increases, and the report was unanimously adopted after some discussion. The schedule of salaries—to take effect immediately, for the elementary grade teachers, is as follows:

First year, (minimum) \$500; second and third years, \$550; fourth and fifth years, \$600; sixth and seventh years, \$650; eighth and ninth years, \$700; tenth year, \$750; eleventh and thereafter, (maximum) \$800. The salaries of Miss Edwards and Miss Underhill, supervisors of drawing, were increased \$50 each, to conform to the maximum of \$500, and the salary of Miss Fanny A. Thompson, of the superintendent's office, was raised to \$700. The report also embodied the following: "It is the cause of this committee that the present class of permanent substitutes, when elected, be elected at the schedule in force at the time of their coming into service."

After presenting the report, Mr. Farrington said that it was his intention to vote for it, but he demurred to the fact that under the new schedule which they formerly received to \$500, the effect will be that at the end of 16 years, teachers will suffer a reduction of earnings, amounting to \$250. To be sure, after reaching the maximum salary this will soon be made up, but he would have preferred a schedule that would have given the teachers \$550 in 16 years.

Mr. Campbell said that the Lowell Teachers organization had asked for a flat increase of \$100 after 10 years, and this will be given by the adoption of this report. He would have liked to see the younger teachers also profit by the schedule, but he did not think the present finances of the city justified it. He personally communicated with superintendents of schools in 17 different cities, and it seemed to him that this was the only equitable basis of salary adjustment.

The report was adopted unanimously.

That the splendid work performed by Mr. William H. Dooley as principal of the Industrial school of this city has been appreciated was made manifest last night when his resignation was read at the regular meeting of the school board. It was unanimously approved by the school board. Mr. Dooley has done splendid work in this city," said Mr. Thompson.

"and I am sure that the members of this board appreciate it. He is an educator and an organizer and Lowell was fortunate in having him as the first head of her Industrial school. He succeeded in gathering together, free of charge, a splendid industrial school equipment, including some very valuable machinery. His splendid efforts are worthy the highest appreciation, and I am glad to know that his fine work has been recognized." Mr. Dooley, in his letter of resignation, thanked the committee members for their kind co-operation. His resignation will take effect March 3.

Candidates for Mr. Dooley's position, up to date, include Clarence Lesner



DR. JOHN H. LAMBERT,
Chairman of School Board

and William A. Webb, both instructors at the Industrial school; Thomas F. Fisher, teacher at the High school, and William C. Smith of Indianapolis. Mr. Smith is or has been connected with the Winona Trade school and took part in the organization of the first manual training school in this country. Mr. Smith was in Lowell yesterday. It was stated today that Mr. O'Leary of the New Bedford Industrial school is a candidate for the principalship of the Lowell school.

Resignations Accepted

Under reports of superintendent, resignations were accepted as follows: Mrs. Carley of the Green school; Miss Frances Clark of the Bartlett school; Mrs. Minnie Coburn Longley, and Principal William H. Dooley of the Industrial school. Mr. Dooley's resignation will take effect on or before March 3. All these resignations were accepted with an accompanying vote of appreciation for services.

Wants Salary Balance

Carl D. Bartt, sub-master of the high school, petitioned for balance of salary, amounting to \$112.50, deducted because of enforced absence on account of quarantine. He said that as his absence was enforced for the public good, he felt that the public should stand the loss; and, as a matter of fact, the school department had profited by his absence, to the extent of \$112.50.

The petition was referred to the committee on finance.

Leave of absence for one month additional, was granted to Miss Katherine Kelly.

Miss Boutelle, secretary of the Y. W. C. A., asked permission to give notice, in the evening school rooms, of classes to be conducted at the association after the close of the evening schools, and to invite the pupils to a social. It was voted without dissent.

"The inspector of wires, in a communication, reported imperfect wiring in the Main school. The matter was reported to the committee on school houses and hygiene, with full power.

Cornelius Desmond sent a communication stating that he has conscientious scruples against his son taking part in military drill, and asking that he be excused from so doing, but requesting that the boy be permitted to take part in athletics. The request was referred to the committee on high school and the superintendent of schools, for action.

The School Matrons

Under the head of new business, Mr. Campbell asked whether the secretary had found any record of Mrs. Strout's election as matron of the Highland school. The secretary reported that he had found no such record.

Mr. Campbell said that Mrs. Strout has been paid by the city of Lowell for 12 years or more, for performing the duties of that office, and he thought that was evidence enough that she was working, and that her presence there had been ratified by the school board. He moved that she be elected matron of the Highland school, in place of the present incumbent, Mrs. Thompson seconded.

Mr. Farrington wanted to know what the duties and qualifications are.

Mr. Campbell said that in March 1912, Mrs. Veronika McMahon was elected to that position by the school committee of 1912. He thought the duties of Mrs. Strout would be exactly continued to page also

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For Suits that were \$10, \$12 and \$15.

\$13.75

For Suits that were \$17, \$20 and \$22.50.

\$16.50 For Suits that were \$25.00 and \$30.00.

Men's Overcoat Dept.

NO GOODS CARRIED OVER

Your choice from our entire stock of fancy Overcoats **\$13.75**

Values up to \$25.00

Men's Pant Dept.

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Your choice from \$5.00 and \$6.00 Pants **\$4.25**

Your choice from \$4.00 and \$5.00 Pants **\$3.25**

Your choice from \$3 and \$3.50 Pants **\$2.65**

Your choice from \$2 and \$2.50 Pants **\$1.85**

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Women's Dept.

NO GOODS CARRIED OVER

Your choice from our entire stock of **\$2.95**

Skirts Values up to \$7.50

Your choice from 50 Serge and Silk **\$6.95**

Dresses Values up to \$12.50

Your choice from 40 Serge and Silk **\$9.75**

Dresses Values up to \$20.00

Your choice from 75 Serge and Silk **\$13.75**

Dresses Values up to \$25.00

Your choice of any \$25, \$30 or \$35 **\$16.50**

Suit or Coat in our stock....

Your choice of any \$20 or \$22.50 **\$13.75**

Suit or Coat in our stock....

Your choice of any \$15 or \$18.50 Suit **\$9.75**

or Coat in our stock.....

\$7.50 and \$10.00 Raincoats..... **\$4.25**

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Your choice from 300 Boys' Suits, with knickerbocker pants **\$2.95**

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Your choice from 150 Boys' Overcoats **\$2.95**

Values up to \$5.00

Boys' 50c and 75c Waists **35c, 3 for \$1**

Shirts

BOYS' 50c HATS and CAPS **39c**

BOYS' \$1.00 and \$1.50 HATS and CAPS **79c**

BOYS' 50c KNICKERBOCKER PANTS **39c**

BOYS' STOCKINGS **12 1/2c**

Men's Hat Dept.

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20 dozen Men's \$2.00 and \$3.00 Soft Hats **\$1.50**

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Quincy Girl Tells Police of Experience

BOSTON, Feb. 5.—While returning to her home on Glenwood place, Quincy, last night, Ethel Miller, 13, was pursued and shot at by an unknown man, according to the story she told the police.

The girl, who is the daughter of Mrs. Marjorie Miller, had been visiting her sister, Mrs. Alice Hunt, at 27 Pearl street. On her way home she took a short cut, passing over what is known as the "Gap" where the road passes through a field and crosses a brook. As the girl passed the corner of Quincy avenue and Water street, she saw a man following her. She quickened her pace and he did also.

As she neared the "Gap" she started to run, and suddenly heard a shot. A bullet which accompanied her, and which, according to the family, knows no fear except when he hears the noise of a shot, lay down in the snow and whined. The girl, terrified, dashed up the steps of her home and told her brother, Walter, who had heard the shot, that she was being followed. Two neighbors, John Thompson and Joseph Beach, also said they had heard the shot.

Card of Thanks
We, the undersigned, take this means of expressing our heartfelt thanks to all those who kindly assisted us in the hour of our bereavement in the death of our beloved son and brother Daniel. We are also grateful to those who sent floral tributes. We shall always remember their kindness.

(Signed) Mrs. Margaret Pagan and Family.

Coach Brook's Election Ratified

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 5.—George Brook, whose election as coach of the University of Pennsylvania football team was ratified yesterday by the board of directors of the athletic association, will meet candidates for next fall's team today and discuss the question of holding spring practice. Brook declares that he believes in making an early start in order to ascertain what material he will have to work with next fall.

Candidates for the varsity crew have also been ordered to report for their first work of the season this afternoon.

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Before me a Notary Public, in and for Clark County and State of Ohio, personally appeared Hannah Carle, this 2nd day of November, 1911, and made oath that the above statement, was true in substance and fact.

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Maine Plantation Stirred by Fatal Row

ISLAND FALLS, Me., Feb. 5.—One man was killed and three injured, one possibly fatally, in a fight at Silver Ridge, near Sherman, Monday night.

John Foy, single, was killed by a rifle shot. Patrick St. John was badly cut and his recovery is considered doubtful. Charles Lean and John St. John were wounded, but not seriously injured.

A broken rifle was found which evidently had been used as a club. Sheriff Bryson, Deputy Sheriff Curtis and Coroner Buzzell started from Houlton at once for the scene, to make their investigation. According to meager information there had been drinking and all the men were fighting.

Silver Ridge is a plantation in Aroostook county, 40 miles southwest of Houlton, the shire town. It is connected by stage with Sherman. The population is only 155. The principal industry is lumbering.

Charged with the murder of Foy, John St. John was arrested yesterday and will be given a hearing at Houlton today. A coroner's jury reported that Foy was killed by a rifle bullet by someone unknown, but thought to be John St. John. An autopsy on Foy's body will be performed today at Sherman Mills.

MATRIMONIAL

Francis J. King and Miss Margaret W. Anderson were married Monday evening at St. Patrick's rectory, the officiating clergyman being Rev. Fr. Kerrigan.

The bride was attended by Miss Elizabeth E. Anderson, while the best man was James M. Dawson. The young couple are now enjoying their honeymoon in New York and Philadelphia.

MORRISON-BISCORNET

William Morrison and Miss Olga Biscornet were married yesterday afternoon by Rev. F. G. Alger at his home, 113 Varnum avenue. The couple will live at Eighth avenue and will be at home to their friends after April 1.

No cards.

MAHONEY-O'BRIEN

Miss Mary Louise O'Brien, daughter of Mrs. Mary E. O'Brien of 64 Fourth avenue, and Mr. John J. Mahoney of 55 White street, were united in marriage at St. Columba's rectory yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock by Rev. John A. Deagan.

The bride was attended by a brown traveling suit and carried a bouquet of white roses. She was attended in blue and carrying a bouquet of white roses. The best man was William Gravelle. The wedding reception was held at the home of the bride's mother after the ceremony. The bride and bridegroom left for their destination being New York city, their return they will make their home at 36 Irving street, Haverhill, Mass., after March 1st.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

Opera House
If you are an habitual theatre-goer, says the San Francisco Chronicle, you must have noticed that there are two great classes of public performers, those who step out on the platform without their intended effects prepared beforehand, and those who prepare their moods to develop spontaneously before the audience. The artist of the cut and dried type usually ignores the audience as much as possible and cultivates a certain aloofness. The spontaneous sort carry on a sort of musical conversation which has a personal appeal to every one within hearing.

Madam Schumann-Heink manages to establish the charming atmosphere of intimacy between the stage and the stalls which allows every ticket holder to indulge in the illusion that music is being made for him. The coming of Schumann-Heink to the Opera House marks a distinct epoch in the musical history of our city. It is at least the first time that a woman with "God-given" voice and magnetic personality, but the foregoing probably more than anything else which has been written about this marvellous vocalist explains the reason for the homage paid this unique artist for the world over.

Her engagement in this city takes place on Friday evening at the Opera House and not only is the general public of our city interested in her forthcoming appearance, but applications for hundreds of tickets have been made at the box office from out-of-town admirers who desire to attend the great musical event.

THE LONERGAN PLAYERS

The brilliant comedy drama, "A Woman's Way," has been selected as the first week's play to be presented at the Opera House by the Lonergan Players who are to begin a season of dramatic stock productions here next Monday evening, Feb. 19.

"A Woman's Way" is the play in which Miss Grace George made one of her greatest hits, appearing in this play for over 100 nights in New York as well as touring the country with most successful results. The play is particularly adapted for presentation by a stock company as there are many excellent characters to be portrayed and has for this reason been selected by Mr. Lonergan as the bill in which to first present his company to local theatre-goers for approval.

Seats for all performances are now on sale at the box office and a lively interest is already evinced in the forthcoming performances. For the second week of the engagement "The Man from Home" will be the bill.

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ious which will wake you up as you haven't been for months. Will J. Doolley, the county clerk, who introduces the children, is more than ordinarily competent as a foil matter. Among other good things on this bill are: Mario Fenton, chile singer; Clark & McCullough, tramp comedians; Ella Pondellier & Co., novelty jugglers and wire performers; Bert Weston & Co., in "The Governor Pro Tem"; Billy Fields and La Adella, and Musical Irving. It is a well balanced bill. Good seats may be secured for all performances. Box office number is 28.

McCracken Square Theatre
A really delightful feature of the excellent bill at the McCracken Square theatre (this week) is Psycho. It is one of the most mysterious offerings Lowell ever witnessed. To describe it would only take from the satisfaction of seeing her perform. At the special performance last night one of the largest crowds of the season declared her act to be the greatest mystery ever staged in Lowell. Another feature act is given by The Temple Players. This clever company with all the old favorites and a few new ones presents "In Her Old Home Town." Kreis, a magical magician, Ella Cameron & Co. in "A Night Out" and "The Steeple" have a two reel special photo-play complete the bill.

ANNUAL DANCE

Y. M. C. I. Held Social Party at Associate Hall Last Night—There Was a Large Attendance

The members of the Y. M. C. I. held their annual social and dancing party at the Associate hall last evening. There was a very large attendance and the affair was very successful. At 8 o'clock a varied musical program was rendered by McGrath's orchestra, and at 9 o'clock general dancing was started.

A dance order of 20 numbers and several extras was gone through and to those present the evening was a most pleasant one. The officers of the evening were as follows: James F. Gilligan, general manager; James J. Flanagan, assistant general manager; Arthur J. O'Neil, floor director; William Kenefick, assistant floor director; Joseph T. McGarvey, chief aid; John McCaffrey, Edward Lawley, John H. Cole, Howard, the Druggist, 197 Central St. and Charles C. Burns, aids.

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SAYS HE SAW GRAND JURY RECORDS

"Big Bill" Keliher Says He Was Shown Transcript of Coleman's Testimony

BOSTON, Feb. 5.—Formal action on the revelations made by "Big Bill" Keliher was taken yesterday, when Assistant District Attorney F. J. Groel of New York saw Keliher and obtained from him the names of police officers implicated in the fare game.

Mr. Groel will make his report to Dist. Atty. Whitman today.

Keliher continued yesterday his remarkable revelations.

Records of Coleman's Testimony

No statement made yet was more amazing than that when he returned to Boston after the bank failure he was promptly shown a complete transcript of Coleman's testimony before the Suffolk grand jury.

Dist. Atty. Pelletier at the time the rumors about the fare game were going the rounds had summoned Coleman before the Suffolk county grand jury.

Shortly after that Keliher came back to Boston, and within an hour after his arrival there was put into his

hands, so he says, a stenographic report of all of Coleman's testimony before the grand jury. In this testimony Coleman had denied that "Big Bill" got any of his money.

The fact that secrets of the grand jury room could be obtained convinced Keliher that his friends were powerful enough to protect him.

How the testimony was obtained Keliher does not know.

Another time Keliher gave up \$500 to a city official. He got the worth of his money, for this man tipped him off as to what train the secret service men were coming to search his house, and the information proved absolutely correct.

Confident of Acquittal

"When the jury went out in my case, I was willing to bet \$5000 that I would be acquitted. I had every reason to believe it when the first thing I saw on returning to Boston was a copy of Coleman's testimony before the Suffolk county grand jury, which even the grand jurors themselves are sworn

not to divulge. If the men who pretended to advise me could penetrate into the secrets of the grand jury room I thought there was nothing they could not do.

"There was another incident which I recall and which I think justified me in my belief that I was going to be acquitted through the help of a United States senator. A former mayor of Boston and republican office holder was at that time political manager of this senator. I was told by the man whom I regarded as my best friend and who was then in the Massachusetts state, that in return for the support which he could give the senator, the case would be fixed up. This looked reasonable, as personally this big republican office-holder called up my friend on the telephone. This was at my friend's house, and I talked over the telephone with this republican office-holder, and went up and told my friend who was on the line, and he came down.

Gave \$500 for Tip

"There is still another incident which led me to place confidence in my advisers. I gave a certain attorney \$500 to give a well known city official. I gave him this \$500 because three days before the attorney had telephoned me the train on which this city official was bringing down some service men to examine my house and they came on that very train. That convinced me that this city official and the attorney were standing in together. I believe it to this day.

"Both figured later in a celebrated case. I happened to be in this attorney's office one morning when he came in and said that he had just been asked by one of the leading lawyers in Boston to go in on the case with him. It was a very important case, and the privilege of being associate counsel was very desirable. My lawyer friend, however, did not take such an excited view of his position in that case.

"He offered me \$5000 for fees and \$10,000 for expenses," said he.

"What is the \$10,000 expenses for?" I asked.

"Why, the crafty — wants me to bribe the jury, of course," told him I could dispose of the case for \$50,000, but that it would have to be settled in a practical way.

"The case was later settled in what I regard as a very practical way. The day the case was settled this city official was publicly mentioned in the press in connection with the case. Not by name, of course. That would have been too close to libel.

Charged Testimony Changed

"This city official was supposed to be helping the government, as his duties required. As the day set for the trial approached he suggested to one

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of the witnesses for the government to prepare to go on the stand.

"He charged the witness with changing his testimony and went to the prosecuting officer and said, 'We can't make a laughing-stock out of ourselves by going to trial on this case.' That settled it. The prosecuting officer was honest. What could he do when his witness was accused of changing his testimony? My opinion was that the witness was honest, too. Whatever he said or did, I believe he did thinking that it would help the government and please the prosecuting officer. That is the second case to my knowledge that this city official botched while ostensibly working for the government."

FUNNY WEDDING CUSTOM

Bridegroom Meets His Bride For the First Time on His Wedding Day—Very Odd Service

We arrived at the bridegroom's house where the first part of the ceremony took place, about 8 o'clock in the evening, writes a Hongkong correspondent of the Westminster Gazette, describing an Indian wedding to which he was invited.

We found the bridegroom seated in a large room, cross-legged in front of two large candles; on one side of him sat the officiating priest, and on the other, two of the best men. The bridegroom was attired in a long, red robe, and looked the picture of woe.

Facing him seated all the guests, boys and men, each one of them wearing a curious little round skullcap. There was a pause in the proceedings when the two "witnesses" left to obtain the bride's formal consent to the match. The bride was not present at the ceremony and had never seen her intended husband's face.

At last the "witnesses" returned to announce that all was well, and shortly afterward a curious smell of incense, filled the air, and the priest, taking the bridegroom's right hand in his, began to chant prayers, or invocations in a low singing voice, almost like a whine.

The assembly joined in later, all going through the same gestures of salaaming, washing their faces and holding their hands out in front of them as one has pictured had a st and then the first part of the ceremony was at an end. The stewards rose and threw dishes of bon bons among the guests, who scrambled for them.

We were hurried down the narrow stairs to the house next door, which happened to be that of the bride, where we were regaled with light refreshments. In the passage that went on the bride's bedroom ensued a very quiet ceremony, for now it was the duty of the "witnesses" to gain admittance to it for the bridegroom.

They bang on the door and shout and women's voices answer from within. A good deal more dialogue went on, of a humorous nature, no doubt, judging from the laughter that went on around me, though it was, of course, conducted in Hindustani and colloquial Chinese. It then appeared that the door would not be opened until the bride's dowry was forthcoming.

The "witnesses" (who are evidently the "funny men" of the occasion) banged again on the door and yelled and shouted; the guests took up the refrain and the hubbub was immense. No use, the door would not budge, and a whispered consultation took place; it was decided to pass over a small amount of "earnest" to bid the barkeepers and there had to be more bargaining and bargaining was of course, all of which palaver was of course, part of the game, and the marriage could not have been in "pukka" form if it had not been gone through.

At last the bargain was struck, the door flew open. The bridegroom passed into the bridal chamber, where he met his newly married wife face to face for the first time. The rest of us discreetly withdrew, but he was back among us a few minutes later to accept our congratulations and bow his acknowledgments. I don't know what

became of the bride; she seemed to have been quite forgotten.

Then we sat down to a sort of wedding feast, nearly all composed of Indian dishes, delicious curry and Bombay ducks, sweet coffee, Indian spices and cakes, curious out-of-the-way fruit and to crown all, the huge lead wedding cake, with the two flags of the proposed revolutionary party in China sagged on top, into which I had the honor of first cutting.

After eating we adjourned to another room where an Indian orchestra squatted on the floor and played weird musical instruments and a man beat merrily on a tam-tam.

After the overture or intermezzo or whatever it was, a man in a huge white turban sang a love song, howling like a dog in pain. He swayed to and fro as a reed shaken by the wind and the orchestra accompanied him, or rather it played about while he was singing, but I think he won in the end—by several bounds.

FOUND DEAD IN HIS ROOM

Itinerant Umbrella Mender Last Seen Saturday Afternoon at His Lodgings in Framingham

FRAMINGHAM, Feb. 5.—The body of an old itinerant umbrella mender known here only as "Crazy Peter" was found last evening lying on the bed in his room at the Irving house, Irving square.

He had come to the house Saturday afternoon and had gone to his room. Nothing had since been seen or heard of him and last night the landlady had the door broken down. The medical examiner was notified, though it is supposed he died of natural causes. "Crazy Peter" was about 65 years old.

SAY STRIKE IS ENDED

Manufacturers Make Declaration at Haverhill—Police Called to Quell Disturbance

HAVERHILL, Feb. 5.—Shoe firms that have been affected by the general strike of the cutters and lasters of the United Shoe Workers during the past five weeks declare that normal conditions have been resumed at their factories and that as far as they are concerned the strike is ended.

Change in Train Schedule
The Boston & Maine railroad announces that commencing February 10th, 1913, the through sleeping car now leaving Lowell at 10:42 p. m. daily except Sunday, will leave at 11:50 p. m. and be operated daily, due New York at 7:05 a. m. Returning, car will leave New York daily at 8:15 p. m. instead of 10:15 p. m. due Lowell 3:22 a. m.

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IN FRATERNAL CIRCLES

Several Organizations Held Regular Meetings

The members of the Betsy Ross Circle, Ladies of the G. A. R., held a well attended regular meeting last evening with the usual delightful supper preceding, this time served under the direction of Sister Richardson, their capable assistants, Sisters Washburn and Rock. During the business session, considerable routine business of importance was transacted. The circle is in receipt of an invitation from the Kirk Street Congregational church to join with its members on Sunday evening, Feb. 9 at half past six o'clock for the observance of Lincoln's birthday. At this union celebration, there will also be present, Posts 155, 129 and 42, G. A. R., and Mary E. Smith, Tent, Daughters of Veterans. The invitation was accepted and it was further voted by the members to observe both Washington's and Lincoln's birthdays on Feb. 18 at the next meeting of the circle.

Highland Union Rebekah Lodge
At the regular business session of Highland Rebekah lodge, No. 31, I. O. O. F., held in Highland hall last night, an entertainment was given consisting of the following program: Violin solo, I. G. Bro. George Downs, Sister Vera Brown, accompanist; star dance, Misses Marion Boyer and Alice Mahoney; harmonica solo, Sister Mary Clark; reading, Marion Downs; violin solo, P. G. Bro. George Downs, Sister Vera Brown, accompanist; song, Miss Marion Boyer; piano duet, Misses Alice Mahoney and Marion Boyer.

District Deputy Grand Master Furness and Deputy Grand Marshall were present.

Garfield Colony

A union meeting of the colonies of the United Order of Pilgrim Fathers took the place of the regular session of Garfield colony, No. 31, last evening; invitations having been sent to the following: Essex, Mary Chilton, Gov. Bowker, Gen. Jas. Shields, Alice Bradford, Mayflower, Rose Standish, Columbia, Phil H. Sheridan, Lincoln, Minutemen, Gen. Sherman and Somerset of Lawrence, Gen. Stark of Delham, Beaver of Derry Depot, Plymouth Rock and Wachusett of Haverhill, Roger Williams of Methuen, Granite of Salem Depot, Andover and Bradstreet of Andover, Westworth of Nashua, and Bay State Empire and Spindle City of this city. Nearly all of the above were represented. The principal address of the evening, was made by Supreme Orator George F. Bradstreet of Boston.

SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS

Of St. Michael's Church Held Monthly Meeting Last Evening—Fr. Murphy Delivered Pleasing Address
The regular monthly meeting of the

Sunday school teachers of St. Michael's church was held last evening at their rooms in Reed street and the director, Rev. Dennis P. Murphy, delivered an interesting address on The Rubrics of the Mass. Miss Etta Kelly read a paper on the life and works of Rev. Fr. Joannes, S. J., one of the early martyrs of this country. Miss Rosa David provided a pleasing photograph concert and at the close of the meeting refreshments were served.

The teachers are Misses Mary Callahan, Martha Rogers, Mary Noyes, Louise Thomas, Anna Joyce, Catherine Gallagher, Mary Seery, Minnie Collins, Gertrude Donohue, Alice Donohue, Gertrude Noyes, Edwina Rosette, Theresa Gallagher, Ella Dale, Margaret Harrington, Nellie Morris and Rose Dowd.

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INCREASE OF SALARIES VOTED

Continued

the same as the duties performed by Miss McElhann.

Mr. Farrington said this did not answer his question.

Mr. Campbell said that Mr. Farrington, having voted to install a matron in the high school, ought to know what her duties and qualifications were.

Mr. Farrington insisted that the committee should know the qualifications of the people they are voting in. Mr. Campbell then referred the question to the superintendent. Mr. Molloy explained that the matrons look after the children during the noon hour, in schools where children remain, and where there are no teachers on duty during that time.

Mr. Farrington asked why there are matrons in certain schools and not in others.

Mr. Molloy said they were elected on account of the fact that the children frequently remain there during the noon hour.

Mr. Farrington wanted to know something about the conditions in other schools, whether the children had to leave the school.

The chairman put the motion, and it was carried. Dr. Bagley voting po and Mr. Farrington declining to vote.

Dr. Lambert then called Mr. Campbell to the chair, and moved as sub-committee of the Packerville school, that Mrs. Lillian Morrison, succeeded last year by Mrs. Mary Brown, be elected matron of the Packerville school. It was so voted.

Dr. Bagley dissenting and Mr. Farrington not voting.

Mr. Farrington then moved that other sub-committee be instructed to inquire into the need of matrons at their schools, and report at the next meeting. It was so voted, without dissent.

Changes Not Important

None of the changes made in the rules were very important except the new section having to do with evening schools. Here are a few of the more marked changes from the rules of 1912.

Regular meetings are to be held on the last Tuesday in each month, instead of the first and third Tuesdays. All sessions of the school committee shall be public.

Section 4, relating to meetings, is amended to provide that "All final votes involving the expenditure of \$50 or over shall be by yeas and nays and shall be entered on the records." This is in conformity with the provisions of the charter as adopted by the committee of 1912. This section states that "all final votes involving the expenditure of \$50 or over shall be by yeas and nays when that is practicable."

In the chapter relating to the general rules for schools, section 12, the passage relating to morning exercises in the schools is changed to read: "The morning exercises in each class room shall begin with the reading of a portion of the Bible without written notes or oral comment, except as otherwise provided by law; and a marginal note refers to the statute bearing on this subject. The sentence, 'No other religious exercises shall be allowed,' which was inserted in the rules by the committee of 1912 and which resulted in the question being raised whether or not it was designed to cut out the Lord's Prayer, is omitted in the amended rule.

In the rules relating to the high school, minor changes are made along the line of giving more latitude to the head master, in the conduct of the school without reference to the sub-committee.

The chapter relating to the selection of teachers provides that in case no teachers are needed in any year, there shall be no public advertisement for examinations. Also, that the corrected examination papers, returned sealed, shall be opened at a public meeting of the school committee. The drastic rule providing that teachers shall not teach or engage in any avocational activity, except as provided by the city, unless by special permission of the committee is somewhat modified by Chapter six, requiring the consent of two-thirds of the school committee for the suspension, repeal or amendment of any rule, is struck out.

Evening School Rules

The new section of the rules having to do with the evening schools is as follows:

Chapter V. Section 1. Certificates of qualification to teach may be granted by the school committee as follows:

Section 2. First grade. For headmaster and men teachers of the high school and for masters of grammar schools; second grade, for women teachers in the high school; third grade, for women teachers in the grammar and primary schools; fourth grade, for teachers of kindergarten; fifth grade, for teachers of evening elementary schools; sixth grade, for teachers in the evening drawing school; seventh grade, for teachers in the evening high school.

Section 3. Candidates for certificates of the first and second grades shall be graduates of a college.

Third Grade Certificates

Section 3. A. Between May 1 and

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May 15 of each year, the superintendent shall issue a public advertisement announcing that on a stated date, not earlier than June 20th nor later than June 30th, next ensuing, a public examination of applicants for Lowell teaching certificates of the third grade will be held in Lowell, and that from such examination not more than a stated number—said number having been previously designated by the committee—will be eligible to take this examination. Persons must be graduates of normal schools or colleges and hold the residence of the city of Lowell. All applicants must signify their intention of taking the examination by notifying the superintendent of schools in writing of least three weeks before the date of such examination, at which time the list will be closed and no new names added. Nothing in this rule shall be construed to require the advertisement or holding of such an examination in the opinion of the committee no additional teachers will be required for the ensuing school year.

b. The examination shall be conducted by the superintendent of schools. Examinations shall be prepared by some public school department other than that of Lowell, and shall be forwarded by mail or direct to a sealed envelope to the superintendent, who shall open the same at the hour set for the examination. The papers of applicants admitted by mail shall be sent by express to the framer of the questions for correction, and he shall later return in a sealed envelope the corrected papers with the list of numbers arranged in order, beginning with the highest and going to the lowest; such envelope shall be opened by the superintendent or by some other person whom the committee shall designate in the presence and at a public meeting of the committee.

c. The committee shall elect in order of rank, as many persons as it deems necessary, not exceeding the number designated in the advertisement, to serve in the evening schools, principals, assistants and special teachers.

d. Vacancies occurring from time to time in the list of elected teachers shall be filled in accordance with the provisions of law from the list of permanent substitutes selected by the examination herein before provided; but permanent substitutes who have passed an examination in a subsequent year, shall be elected.

Determined by Examination. Section Four. There shall be three classes of persons employed in evening elementary schools: principals, assistants and interpreters.

There shall be three classes of persons employed in the evening high school: principal, assistants and special teachers. Eligibility to fill any position in the evening elementary or evening high school shall be determined by examination adapted to the requirements of the various positions to be filled. All examinations to determine eligibility for service in the evening schools shall be under the supervision of an examining committee consisting of the superintendent of schools, the master of the high school, and the senior grammar master.

Fifth and Seventh Grades. Between Aug. 29 and Aug. 30 of each year, the superintendent shall issue a public advertisement announcing that on a stated date, not earlier than Sept. 20 nor later than Sept. 30, next ensuing, a public examination for the fifth and seventh grades will be held in Lowell, and that from those examined not more than a stated number—said number having been previously designated by the committee—will be eligible to take this examination.

All applicants must signify their intention of taking the examination by notifying the superintendent in writing at least two weeks before the date of such examination, at which time the list will be closed and no new names added. Nothing in this rule shall be construed to require the advertisement or holding of such an examination in the opinion of the committee no additional teachers will be required for the ensuing evening school year. Such examination shall be conducted by the superintendent of schools. The papers of applicants shall be identified by number only, and after correction, the envelopes containing the names of the applicants shall be opened by the superintendent or some other person whom the committee shall designate, in the presence and at a public meeting of the committee. At a subsequent meeting the committee shall elect in order of rank as many teachers as it may deem necessary.

Examination of Candidates. In the examination of candidates for fifth grade certificates, as assistants in the elementary evening schools, to be held in September, 1913, all holders of fifth grade certificates already issued and who have already served as assistant teachers in the evening elementary schools shall be eligible, and if there should not be a sufficiently large number of candidates to meet the requirements of the evening schools, any additional candidates for qualification in this examination shall be graduates of a college.

After the year 1913 all candidates for certificates of qualification as assistants in the evening elementary schools shall be graduates of a normal school.

Interpreters shall be elected by the school committee on recommendation of the superintendent of schools.

Evening School Principals. For the evening school season for the year 1913 and 1914 all holders of fifth grade certificates who have had previous experience as evening school principals shall be eligible to take the examination for qualification as principals of evening elementary schools. In each subsequent year, holders of certificates of fifth grade shall be eligible for qualification as evening elementary school principals.

By Written Examination. The principal of the evening high school shall be selected by means of a written examination which shall cover the general scope of studies pursued in the evening high school and the principles and methods which apply to the organization and conduct of such a school. After the examination of 1913 to a candidate for such a position the candidate must be a holder of a first grade certificate.

Assistants in the evening high school shall be selected by means of a written examination, which shall test proficiency in English, history and

Some Suggestions for Young and Old and How to Celebrate Valentine's Eve—Appropriate Favors for the Occasion

What shall I do on Valentine's eve that will be exciting? said a prospective hostess. "The day has been already celebrated in so many attractive ways that one is at a loss for an idea that smacks of originality."

My dear lady in distress, that is not so serious a problem after all. It is

table from six to eight inches in height, also covered the fancy lace paper, will give the raised effect so dear to our childish eyes. In the center place a crimson heart, while floating blue ribbons and a stiff bouquet of flowers edged with lace-paper or a cupid and a pair of cooling

cakes do not fail to have a place of kisses, the sweet meekling puff balls to be bought at the confectioner's, into which written fortunes and gilt rings and jokes of a kindly, impersonal nature may be placed by carefully separating the sticky halves and tying them together with blue and pink ribbons.

In the way of games perhaps nothing will ever take the place of a short round of hearts, novelty and fun being obtained by reversing the usual order of the game, each gaining as many, rather than as few, as he may, for

To throw away a heart is cruel: To get and keep tonight's rule:

In the matter of prizes there is a wide choice, especially for the favor winners of the largest number of

book and line, with an accompanying picture and a rhyme, and for another a potato masher, lettered "Take Lessons," and the rhyme: You've won of other hearts so few, Look out! Perhaps you'll lose yours too!

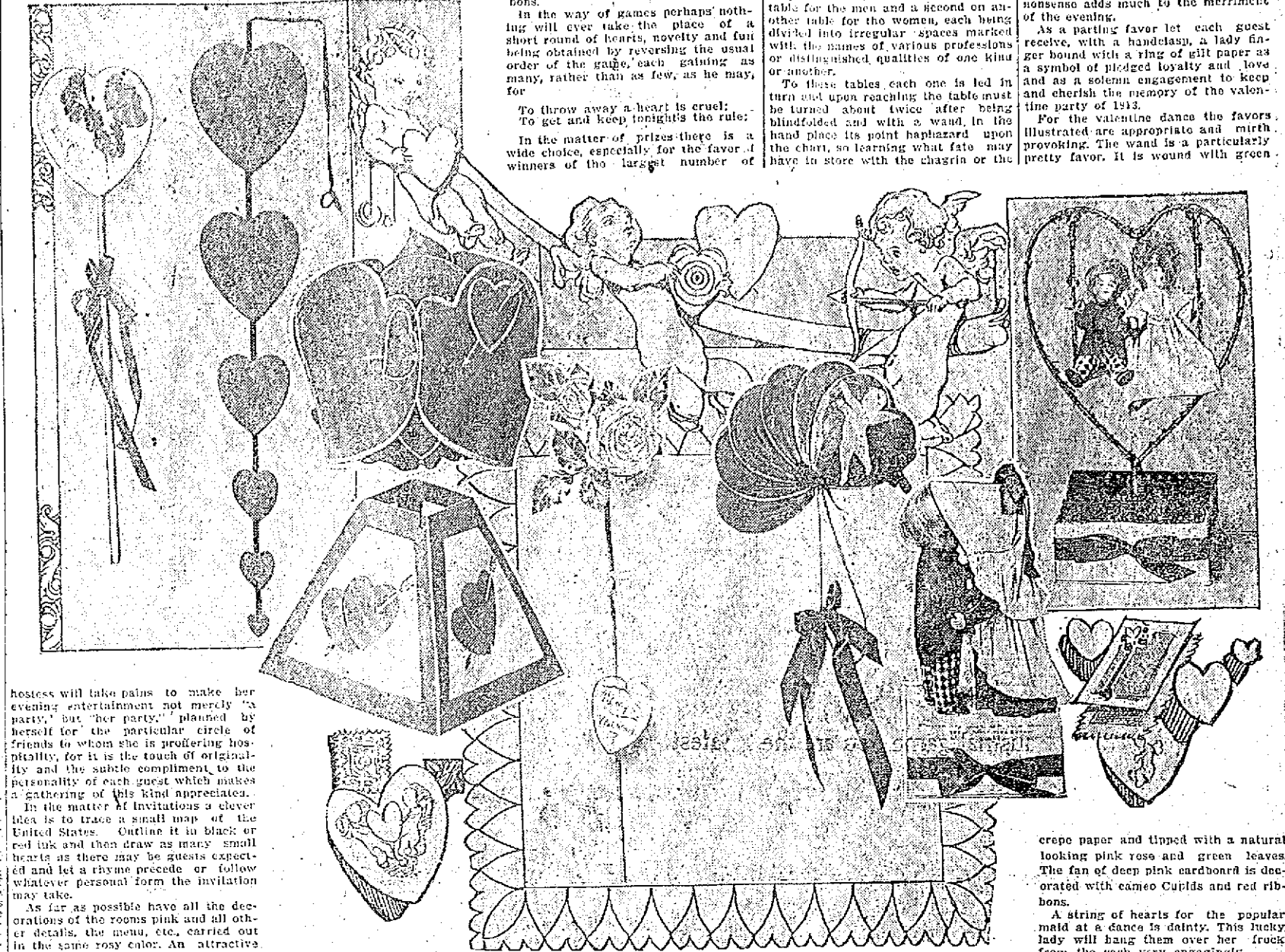
A pleasant between time diversion is to place a sheet of cardboard on one table for the men and a second on another table for the women, each being divided into irregular spaces marked with the names of various professions or distinguished qualities of one kind or another.

To these tables each one is led in turn and upon reaching the table must be turned about twice after being blindfolded and with a wand, in the hand places its point haphazard upon the chart, so learning what fate may have in store with the chagrin or the

Another in between amusement is arranged in the following fashion: Have a rosy cheeked little boy costumed as a cupid postman, who carries with his bow and arrow a well filled mail bag holding valentines for each guest, who in turn read aloud what Uncle Sam has brought in the shape of verse. This little piece of nonsense adds much to the merriment of the evening.

As a parting favor let each guest receive, with a handclasp, a lady finger bound with a ring of gilt paper as a symbol of pledged loyalty and love and as a solemn engagement to keep and cherish the memory of the valentine party of 1913.

For the valentine dance the favors suggested are appropriate and mirth provoking. The wand is a particularly pretty favor, it is wound with green



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Doves will form a charming picture. Among the heart shaped ices and

hearts, while for those gaining few, it

comfort of knowing that the choice

has been voluntary.

crepe paper and tipped with a natural looking pink rose and green leaves. The fan of deep pink cardboard is decorated with cameo Cupids and red ribbons.

A string of hearts for the popular maid at a dance is dainty. This lucky lady will hang them over her frock from the sash very engagingly.

Candle shades for the valentine supper are also pictured of pink silk with appropriate heart and dart decorations. These shades and favors are all easy to make at home with crepe paper.

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Sixth Grade Certificates

Candidates for sixth grade certificates shall be required to give evidence of special preparation and fitness for work with classes in the various departments of school instruction in drawing.

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RAILROADS IN ALASKA

Railroad Commission Reports to President Taft That More Tracks Are Needed

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—The Alaska railroad commission has reported to President Taft that more than one extensive railroad will be needed properly to open up Alaska's resources.

The report states that the present railroad routes from the coast into the interior of Alaska. No definite recommendations are made as to the choice of routes. The report declares that the route up the Seward valley, passing near the rich Matanuska coal fields up through agricultural lands to the Nome coal fields and on to Fairbanks in central Alaska with its gold, silver and other wealth could not develop the resources of the Copper River valley.

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ROBBED POLICE STATION

Man Passed Detectives With Loot

CHICAGO, Feb. 5.—When Alex Davison, chief investigator of the Chicago Law and Order league, testified last Friday to theft of records from the Irving Park police station, he told Chief-of-Police McWenney, who was present, that it was very easy to rob a police station, and to prove his statement he promised to burglarize four other police stations.

Despite this warning the Irving Park station exploit was repeated last night at the Desplines street station, one of the biggest in the city and one of the most notoriously named. Municipal Judge John Mahoney's court is in the Desplines street station. When court adjourned yesterday the judge locked his files in a drawer and locked the room door.

Early today some one entered the station, nodded cheerfully at the desk sergeant, wandered through the squad room, passed the detective quarters and the offices of Lieut. Gallery and Hotelbison and up a flight of stairs. He then forced open the judge's chambers and the locked drawer and with the files under his arm retraced the course by which he had entered, passing several detectives and officers in uniform. He exited no suspicion.

When the robbery was called to the attention of Davison today, he laughingly evaded answer but gave an outline of his movements during the night, calculated to baffie, if not to satisfy, Chief McWenney.

CHELMSFORD

The office of Sweetser & Day's grain company is being extensively improved. Mr. George Day and Daniel Haley are doing the work.

The school at the Centre proposed yesterday morning. The teachers of the high and grammar schools report having had a very pleasant and interesting time gaining many pointers about the handling of other schools.

Miss Florence Stille, teacher of the first grade, visited the Bartlett and Dickey schools in Lowell. Miss Eva Goffrey, teacher of the second and third grades, visited at the Chelmsford grammar school, accompanied by Miss Helen Lyons of the third and fourth grades. The route from Cordova to the Copper and Tanana river basins to Fairbanks would be nearer the Behring coal fields, which could be opened up by the building of a branch line, then would go north through rich copper country and on to Central Alaska.

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LOWELL MEN FAVOR BILL

City Officials Appeared at Hearing in Boston

At the hearing, yesterday, before the committee on public service, on the bill providing that call firemen shall not be required to take a second civil service examination for promotion as permanent men of the department, Mr. Representative Joseph O'Connor of this city appeared as counsel for the petitioners, and Joseph P. Conroy, of the Lowell department, submitted a new draft of a bill which provides that cities and towns, except the city of Boston, will have a call or part call fire department which now is, or may hereafter be, subject to civil service rules, may on the recommendation of the board of engineers of the fire department, or of the board of officers having the authority, appoint as members of the permanent force without a civil service examination, any person who has served as a call man for three or more successive years; such persons to be certified by the city or town physicians.

Also that no call man on the civil service list shall be affected by this act. Lowell men who appeared in favor of the bill on which the hearing was held included Mayor James E. O'Donnell, Commissioners Andrew E. Barrett and Lawrence Cummings; Representatives Henry Atkins, Jr. and Victor F. Jewett.

There was a large delegation of the local call firemen present at the hearing, and among the members were the following: George Crawford, Martin McNally, James H. Tracy, Frank J. Dunn, James H. Lannon, George H. McDermott, Cornelius F. Cronin, Roger J. Hayes, Jr., J. F. Convery and Hugh J. Green. Police Officers Edward F. Flanagan and Charles A. Hamilton were also present at the hearing.

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AGENT C. F. RICHARDSON

Presented Report to Humane Society Directors

Agent C. F. Richardson of the Humane Society presented his January monthly report at a meeting of the directors of the society, which was held yesterday afternoon. He said he attended 21 cases of neglect, six cases of non-support, one case of a stubborn child and said that his parish file charges prepaid.

He reported one horse killed, 19 lame and five galled horses saved from work; 15 horses blanketed during cold

days, one case of beating a horse, one case of underfeeding a horse, 23 fallen horses assisted, 29 cases of loose blinders and 349 horses examined while at work. There were also reported one cow found lame, two cows underfed and 323 cattle examined.

The number of cats killed during the month was 11 and 10 dogs were killed. One pig was found suffering from underfeeding and 26 pigs were without proper shelter. Seven pigs were examined in addition to those mentioned above. There were 13 crates of chickens, with a total of 735 chickens, examined and faults rectified.

\$15,000 For Public Improvement. OGDENSBURG, N. Y., Feb. 5.—Assessment has been expressed at a verdict for \$15,000 damage for false imprisonment awarded by a jury here to the Rev. Fr. Klender. The verdict was returned late last night after a trial lasting 10 days.

The defendants in the action were Bishop Henry Gabriels of the Catholic diocese of Ogdensburg, Coadjutor Bishop Joseph Conroy and Drs. W. B. Hanbidge and W. G. Cooper of the Ogdensburg state asylum for the insane. The plaintiff alleged that the defendants had caused him to be placed in the asylum upon his refusal to relinquish his parish at Ogdensburg, N. Y. near here. Immediate steps will be taken to overturn the verdict, which is regarded as a miscarriage of justice.

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LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. State House, Boston, Feb. 7, 1913. Comeau, Esq., Boston. The judges will give a hearing to parties interested in the petition of Frank Ward and others (H. 924), for legislation to create a new State Street, a state highway from the Moody street bridge in the city of Lowell to the town of Braintree, at room No. 124, State House, Boston, on Thursday, at 10 o'clock a. m. Samuel I. Collins, House Chairman. Morton Henry Bixley, Clerk of the Committee.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Probate Court, Boston. To the devisees, legatees, and all other persons interested in the estate of William Layden, otherwise called William Layden, late of Ware, in said county of Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, deceased, testate:

Whereas a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration with the will annexed, on the estate of said deceased at already administered, to John J. Layden, of said county of Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, or to some other suitable person.

You are hereby cited to appear at a public Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the eighth day of February, A. D. 1913, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if you have one, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing the facts of said petition in three successive weeks, in The World Sun, a newspaper published in said county of Middlesex, at least once in each of said three successive weeks, by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all devisees and legatees of said deceased, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this 24th day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

W. B. ROGERS, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To all to whom these presents shall come, I, the said Judge of said Court, do hereby give notice, that the estate of Jacob Drake, late of Tyngsborough, in said County, deceased; Whereas, Olin L. Wright, the Trustee under the will of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the sixth account of his trust under said will; That you are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held in said County, on the eighteenth day of February, A. D. 1914, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said Trustee is ordered to serve his said father by delivering a copy thereof to all persons named herein, at least fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same in some newspaper three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun.

published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by means of said publication of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

First Justice Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Justice of said Court, this fourth day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Registrar.

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DEATH VALLEY ARGONAUTS
Survivors of Trip Across Desert, Which Took Place 63 Years Ago Held Reunion at Santa Cruz
SANTA CRUZ, Calif., Feb. 5.—Survivors of the

Members of the pioneer band of Death Valley Argonauts who crossed the desert into California 63 years ago held a reunion here yesterday at the home of Mrs. James W. Brier, one of the party, now 59 years old. Thirty-six of the band of 250 drank oxblood to quench their thirst in the arid salt sands of the

Four generations of the Briar family attended the reunion, including Mrs. Briar's son, the Rev. J. W. Briar, who was six years old at the time of the expedition and tramped for hundreds of miles clinging to his mother's hand after the wagons had been

A record of the trip passed around at the banquet table showed that the "schmawlers," as they called themselves, left Galesburg, Ill., April 23, 1949. The party was the first to explore Death Valley.

1000 TURKS CAPTURED

REVEL PETITIONS FOR NEW TRIAL ATTACK ON ADRIANOPLE CONTINUES NO RAILROAD TRAFFIC AGREEMENT

On the Grounds of Newly Discovered Evidence—Fortune Teller in the Case

Laurent Revel, the famous globe trotter, through his attorneys, William H. Bent and A. O. Hamel, petitioned Judge Pratt for a new trial of his case with Cordelia Vlen, on the grounds of newly discovered evidence. The affidavit of Mr. Revel's new witness, Mrs. Melande Landry, was presented to the judge in the probate court room this morning, and after hearing the arguments from both sides, the judge said he would take the matter under consideration.

The case of Revel vs. Vlen was tried twice and a short time ago executions taken at the last trial were filed in the supreme court.

The case which is one where Revel sued Mrs. Vlen, proprietor of the Merrimack hotel in this city, for the recovery of a certain sum of money, which he claims he loaned the defendant, was heard by J. Gilbert Pratt as master some time ago. His decision was in favor of the globe trotter, his finding being over \$5,000. Mrs. Vlen appealed from the finding and the case was tried a few months ago in the superior court without jury. Judge Pratt presiding. He also found for the plaintiff, but for little over \$1500.

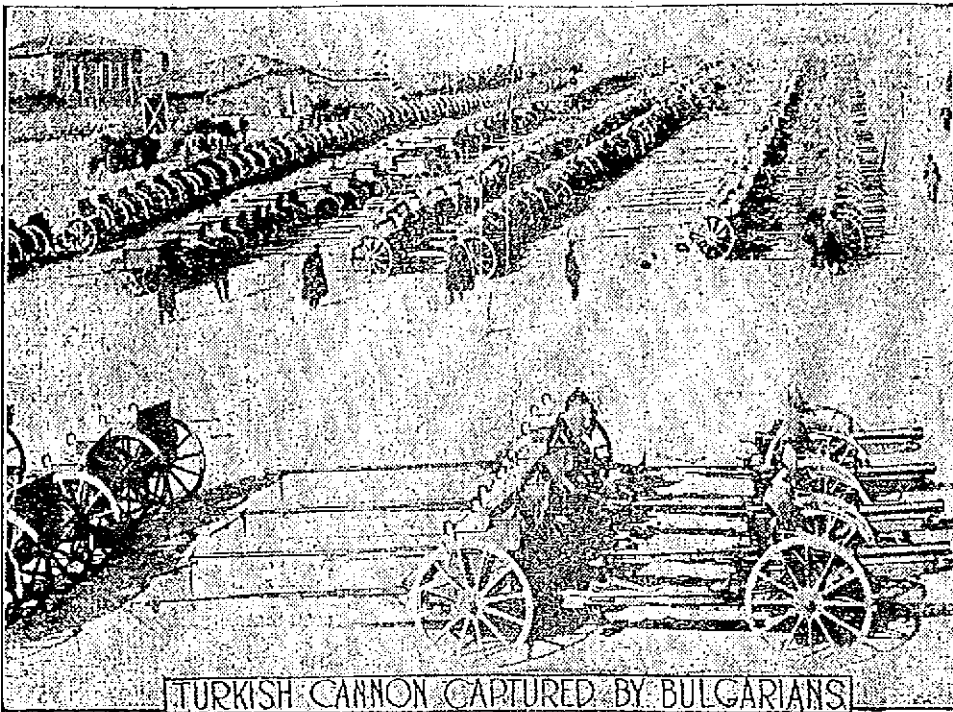
Now the plaintiff comes with a petition for a new trial on the grounds of newly discovered evidence. This new witness is Mrs. Melande Landry, who is a fortune teller. In her affidavit presented the court this morning she

said she lives at 150 Pawtucket street and said she knows Mrs. Vlen and Mr. Revel and that the former told her on one occasion she owed Revel \$5000. She said she told Mrs. Vlen one day "Why don't you settle up the case?" and the reply from Mrs. Vlen was that she did not owe the sum Revel claimed was due him. She said she advised Mrs. Vlen to see Revel to settle, to which Mrs. Vlen replied she did not care to see him, but would like to have him write to her. She said at the request of Mrs. Vlen she went with her to Revel's room and there Mrs. Vlen had a talk with him.

Mrs. Vlen in her affidavit makes a general denial of Mrs. Landry's testimony and her reply is as follows: "I know Mr. Revel and Mrs. Landry, the latter having visited me often at the Merrimack house. I never told the woman I owed Revel money. Mrs. Landry came to see me at the Merrimack house and she wanted me to go to Revel's room. The day of the trial I went over to see Mrs. Landry to have her come to court, but she refused. The only time I went to see Mrs. Landry was when I wanted my fortune told, and I always paid her for her services, and Mrs. Landry told me that Revel went to her house several times."

Messrs. Bent and Hamel argued the case and the judge reserved his decision to a later date.

WITHOUT INTERRUPTION



[TURKISH CANNON CAPTURED BY BULGARIANS]

Heavy Siege Guns of the Servian Army Are Being Directed on Fortress—Many Houses in Flames

CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 5.—The 48 hour bombardment of Adrianople by the Bulgarians and Servians has thus far not proven very disastrous to the city. Eight inhabitants had been killed up to this morning; 50 private houses had been set on fire.

Shukri Pasha, the commander in chief of Adrianople, reported by wireless telegraphy to the war office here today: "The enemy is bombarding us. One hundred and thirty eight common shells and 11 shrapnel have fallen in the city, killing eight people and wounding ten. A number of houses are in flames. The bombardment continues."

NO INTERRUPTION IN THE BOMBARDMENT OF ADRIANOPLE

LONDON, Feb. 5.—The bombardment of Adrianople, which opened on Monday, proceeded without interruption today, according to a semi-official telegram from Sofia. A report was

spread today that the Bulgarians had decided to suspend operations for 24 hours, so as to give the Turkish garrison an opportunity of surrendering. This, however, appears to be without foundation. A message from Belgrade, Serbia, today speaks of the "heroic conduct" of a couple of Servian regiments of infantry which are said to have participated in an attack on the outer circles of the forts, but there is no means of verifying this or any of the reports as such fighting as may be in progress is taking place behind a screen, so far as the outside world is concerned. Dependence has to be placed on the more or less biased stories given out by the respective army headquarters for only an extremely rare occasion can a newspaper correspondent succeed in circumventing the censorship.

Turkish Troops Captured

During a scuffle by the Turkish troops from Adrianople today 1000 of them were taken prisoner by the Bulgarian besiegers, according to a news

agency despatch from Sofia, of which, however, there is no confirmation.

ADRIANOPLE BOMBARDED ON ALL SIDES BY THE SERBIANS

SOFIA, Bulgaria, Feb. 5.—The bombardment of Adrianople continued today on all sides of the city, the heavy siege guns brought up by the Servian troops being trained on the principal works of the fortress.

The headquarters of the Bulgarian army at the front report that yesterday passed without any fighting along the Tachatalja lines in front of Constantinople.

TURKISH MINISTER OF WAR LEFT CONSTANTINOPLE FOR THE FRONT

CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 5.—Mahmoud Shekfat Pasha, Turkish minister of war, left here today for the front at the Tachatalja lines.

Officials of Grand Trunk Declare There Never Was Any Agreement With New Haven

MONTREAL, Feb. 5.—An official statement issued today from the offices of the Grand Trunk declares there has never been any traffic agreement between the Grand Trunk and New Haven roads, but admits there was a proposed agreement. The statement says that the Providence extension of the Central Vermont road has not been finally abandoned and points out that the Providence line has nothing to do with the proposed extension of the Central Vermont to Boston. The statement follows:

"The Providence extension is a Central Vermont matter and is entirely in the hands of Vice President Jones of St. Albans. The statement published from Providence to the effect that the Providence extension of the Central Vermont had not been abandoned and, if financial arrangements can be made

for the construction of the line running rights will be granted to the Boston-Providence electric route which is asking charter rights to enter Providence over the right of way of the Southern New England are correct.

"Of course, this Providence line has nothing to do with the proposed extension of the Central Vermont to Boston nor has it any connection with the proposed traffic or trackage agreement with the New Haven which, if carried out, would oblige the necessity for duplicating the Boston & Maine. Reference to the abandonment of the Providence line or to an agreement between the New Haven and the Grand Trunk are both misleading because there was no abandonment and there never has been an agreement—only a proposed agreement."

FUNERAL OF LT. GARITY U.S.A.

With Military Honors at National Cemetery, Arlington, Va.



THE LATE LT. GEORGE GARITY, U.S.A.

With full military honors, the remains of the late Lieut. George Garity, U.S.A., of this city, were laid to rest in the National cemetery in Arlington, Va., on Monday. The lieutenant died in Little Rock, Ark., last Wednesday after only a few days' illness. At his own request his body was taken to the National cemetery at Arlington for burial.

The funeral took place from Little Rock, Ark., and the body was sent to Arlington, Va., where it was received by a corps from the U.S. artillery and U.S. cavalry. A delegation from the former acted as bearers and the casket draped with the national colors was placed on a caisson and taken to the burial grounds, escorted by military men.

At the grave the committal prayers were read by Rev. Charles A. Hutchins of Philadelphia, a close friend of deceased, and a volley was fired and taps were sounded by the cavalry. Attending the funeral was the wife of deceased and her son, Resister, both of this city. There are many friends of the dead lieutenant in Lowell who regret they could not attend the funeral. Had the burial been held here the military companies would have turned out in full numbers to honor the dead soldier.

BEFORE JUDGE PRATT

Case of Connors Bros. Co. vs John H. Connors Was Taken Up Again This Morning

Lawyer Stanley E. Qua and Judge Fisher, A. Fisher appeared before Judge Pratt at a special session of court in the probate court this morning to obtain a final decree in the case of Connors Bros. Co. vs John H. Connors, a bill in equity to compel the defendant to assign to the plaintiff company a mortgage for \$500 bearing the name of J. H. Connors, but which the plaintiff company claim belong to them. The case was tried before the November sitting and the finding of facts by the court was in accordance with the statement of facts contained in the defendant's answer. The plaintiff company has moved to amend the bill and the motion was heard this morning after which the judge reserved his decision. Lawyer Qua appeared for the plaintiff and Judge Fisher for the defendant.

FUNERALS

FERRISBURGH.—The funeral of Joseph Ferrisburgh took place this morning. High mass of requiem was celebrated at St. Joseph's church at 9 o'clock. Rev. Charles Denzit, O. M. I., officiating. The choir was under the direction of Mr. Frank Gaudreau, Mrs. Joseph A. Bernard, president at the altar. The hearse was Hector (Rich-ard) Albert Tourigny, Henri Leblanc, Olivier Loiselle, Octave Houle and Antoine Perreault. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Amede Archambault.

FUNERAL NOTICE

GERVAIS.—The funeral of Amanda Gervais will take place tomorrow morning from the home of her brother, Mr. Charles Gervais, 125 Gershom avenue. Solemn high mass of requiem at St. Joseph's church at 9 o'clock. Friends invited. Burial will be in St. Joseph's cemetery. Funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker Amede Archambault.

The many friends of Mr. S. C. Houghton will be pleased to learn that he is specially recovering from a severe illness of six weeks.

LIVED HERE 47 YEARS

Francis S. Regnier Died Last Night

Francis Samuel Regnier, one of the oldest residents of this city, died last night at his home, 502 Merrimack street. Mr. Regnier was well known in Lowell where he lived for 47 years, he being one of the founders of St. Joseph's parish.

Deceased was a carpenter by trade and worked until about three months ago, when he was taken ill. He was at first removed to the hospital, but later was brought back to his home, where he passed away last night. He was 60 years and 10 months old, and his demise will be keenly felt by his many acquaintances.

He is survived by a wife, five daughters, Misses Amanda, Delphine, Bernadette, Len and Laurette, also a sister, Mrs. Joseph Dupuis in Canada. He was a member of the Holy Family sodality and the Third Order of St. Francis of St. Joseph's parish.

The many friends of Miss Etta Donahoe of Anawson street will be pleased to learn that she has recovered from her recent illness.

Coughing?
You may tomorrow! Better be prepared for it when it comes. Ask your doctor about keeping Ayer's Cherry Pectoral in the house. Then when the hard cold or cough first appears you have a doctor's medicine at hand.
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TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES

Late Dispatches in Condensed Form

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 5.—C. R. Power, newspaper man and sporting writer, former umpire in the National league, died at his home here today.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Feb. 5.—The state senate today passed a bill allowing commercial travelers to vote wherever they may be on election day.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—Confirmation of reports from Peking of a further hitch in the Chinese negotiations was received by American representatives of the syndicate today.

TOKIO, Feb. 5.—Exciting scenes were witnessed during the dispersal of the Japanese diet today after a vote of censure on the government under prince Katsura had been decided.

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—Part of the cargo of the stranded Norwegian steamer Nicholas Cumeo was thrown overboard today in preparation for an attempt to float the vessel at high tide.

CHICAGO, Feb. 5.—Fred Williams, outfielder of the Chicago Nationals and former captain of the Notre Dame team

squad, will coach the Notre Dame university players this year, according to an announcement made here today.

HARRISBURG, Pa., Feb. 5.—Women in Pennsylvania will be given the right to vote if a bill which passed the lower house of legislature today by a vote of 130 to 70 becomes a law. The bill now goes to the senate.

NEW LONDON, Conn., Feb. 5.—Word has just been received here that during the gale on the sound last night the barge Annie R. sank off Bartlett's reef, carrying with her the captain's wife and their two children.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—The senate agreed today to vote on the legislative day of Feb. 11 on the Connecticut river dam bill, which contains legislation that would establish the government's right to tax and control water powers.

ALBANY, Ga., Feb. 5.—After taking a drug and powdered glass and slashing his wrist with a razor and shooting himself below the heart in an attempt at suicide, George Flourney, secretary-treasurer of the Albany cotton mills, still lives.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—The fight against the appropriations for battleships began in earnest today in the house when Rep. Sherwood of Ohio, heading the "no battleship advocates" with a petition of 50 signers, secured a democratic caucus to throw out the matter next Saturday evening.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—Claims aggregating \$71,000 for damage to American citizens in El Paso and Douglas, Ariz., during the fighting in the first days of the Mexican revolution are to be pressed upon Mexico for payment, according to a resolution adopted today by the senate.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 5.—Rev. J. J. Brandt, pastor of the First Christian church here, announced today that his congregation soon would build a church with a roof garden in the fashionable West End district. The roof garden will be used for moving picture shows and other entertainments.

ALBANY, N. Y., Feb. 5.—Seven bills drafted by Gov. Sulzer and embodying his recommendations on stock exchange reforms as outlined in his recent message to the legislature were introduced in the senate today. While provision is made for fixing a maximum rate of interest on call loans the question of incorporation in the New York state exchange is still open.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—The official program for the inaugural ceremonies was completed today. It follows the plans of the inauguration of Taft and Sherman four years ago. Platforms across the east front of the capitol, where President-elect Wilson will take the oath of office and deliver his address, will be built to accommodate 3000 spectators, 2000 more than four years ago.

BOSTON, Feb. 5.—The old age pension movement was revived today at a hearing before the legislative committee on a bill based on the British law and which allows \$2 a week to citizens over 65 years of age. The measure was advocated by Thomas Canavan of the Boston Central labor union and several other labor leaders. There was no opposition.

A DOUBLE MURDER

Committed in Paris—Auto Bandits Suspected

PARIS, Feb. 5.—A double murder, supposed to be an act of vengeance by an unrepentant accomplice of the gang of automobile bandits whose trial is now going on, was committed here today when Edouard Pelletier, formerly chief of the bureau of pardons at the ministry of justice, was killed in his residence, together with a woman nurse in attendance.

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DECREASE IN RUNNING EXPENSES

Report of Water Department for 1912 Submitted by Commissioner Barrett

Andrew E. Barrett, commissioner of water works and fire department, has submitted the statistical portion of the annual report of the water department for 1912 and the report shows a decrease in the running expenses of the department of \$13,625.35 as compared with the expenses of 1911. Instead of a balance, Jan. 1, 1912, there was a deficit of \$1967.69 and as against this deficit on Jan. 1, 1913 there was a balance of \$41,557.70. Mr. Barrett is the first of the commissioners to submit an annual report and he said today that his report on the fire department would be ready within a day or two. The figures contained in the water department report for the year are as follows:

Reparations and	Expenses	1911	1912
Setting meters	4,711.53	4,438.43	
Engineering	1,020.75	825.11	
Gen. maintenance	58,776.83	25,760.25	
Total	\$64,509.11	\$31,023.79	
Pumping stations	\$2,855.22	\$1,901.04	
Feet	10,122.75	14,070.70	
Cast iron pipe	11,232.50	14,628.77	
Hydrants and gates	3,581.07	2,570.92	
Small pipe	2,539.87	2,111.25	
Meters	5,175.01	5,562.75	
Machinery & tools	2,711.37	4,521.44	
Stable	2,400.11	1,925.21	
Automobiles	2,740.77	4,331.09	
Miscellaneous	10,219.20	\$50,225.50	
Totals	\$99,779.11	\$116,558.85	
Interest, etc.	\$16,311.12	\$16,526.55	
Depreciation	8,700.03	15,700.03	
Refunds, etc.	499.76	421.95	
Total	\$55,511.45	\$53,753.03	
Grand total	\$122,188.50	\$122,188.50	
Balance Jan. 1, 1912	\$1967.69	\$1967.69	
Debit Jan. 1, 1912	\$1967.69	\$1967.69	
Receipts 1912	\$235,324.75	\$235,324.75	
Expenses 1912	\$191,763.39	\$191,763.39	
Balance Jan. 1, 1913	\$41,557.70	\$41,557.70	

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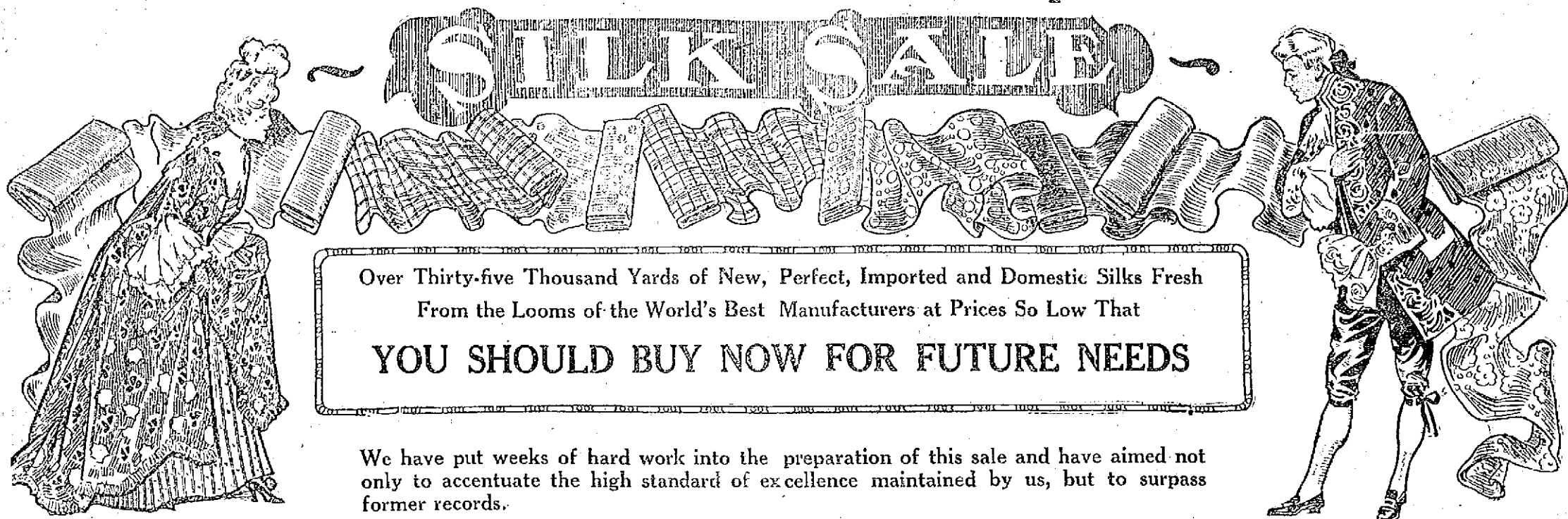
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ors and combinations. These are not slummy stuffs, but are all silk and
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quality, mostly dark and medium colors, specially adapted for street and
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Black Satin Duchess, 36 inch, value \$1.39. Sale price \$1.00 Yard	Peau de Soie, 36 inch, value \$1.75. Sale price \$1.25 Yard
Black Taffeta Silk, 36 inch, value 89c. Sale price 69c Yard	Peau de Cygne, 36 inch, value \$1.10. Sale price 89c Yard
Black Taffeta Silk, 36 inch, value \$1.00. Sale price 79c Yard	Black Brocade, 36 inch, value \$1.25. Sale price 89c Yard
Satin Messaline, 19 inch, value 59c. Sale price 39c Yard	Satin Messaline, 36 inch, value \$1.00. Sale price 79c Yard
Satin Messaline, 27 inch, value 75c. Sale price 59c Yard	Satin Messaline, 36 inch, value \$1.39. Sale price \$1.10 Yard
Satin Messaline, 36 inch, value \$1.10. Sale price 85c Yard	Black Gros Grain, 24 inch, value \$1.00. Sale price 75c Yard

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TRIAL OF F. O. BEACH RESUMED

Millionaire is Charged With Attacking Wife With Murderous Intent

AIKEN, N. C., Feb. 5.—When the trial of F. O. Beach, the millionaire charged with attacking his wife with murderous intent, was resumed here today only minor witnesses remained to be heard for the state, and indications were that the defense would introduce only three witnesses, including Mrs. Beach. There was doubt if the defendant would testify.

The court room was crowded when the trial was resumed. Beach and his wife arrived early, accompanied by Mrs. Taylor and Miss Hollins.

Sheriff H. H. Howard, who was chief of police of Aiken at the time of the assault, was recalled by Prosecutor Gunter to identify some footprints dug outside the yard of the beach cottage. Howard said rural policeman Holley had told him the footprints were his.

A. Klorens, editor of a local paper, testified he examined the Beach premises the night of the assault and found evidence of a struggle in the side yard. He said he was with the chief

of police when the latter found the earrings and comb belonging to Mrs. Beach and the bloodstained fence picket. He said one of the earrings was crushed. He expressed the opinion that they were paste and worth about \$2.

On cross examination the witness said he thought a blow from the fence picket on the side of a woman's head would have been sufficient to knock the earring from her ear.

"But it wouldn't knock the earring on the other side of her head, would it?" asked Prosecutor Gunter.

"Not likely," replied the witness.

Policeman Holley, the next witness, was asked if he had any conversation with Beach the night of the assault about the value of the earring afterward found.

"Yes, Beach said his wife had lost a pair of earrings. He said he did not know the exact value, but they were worth \$1000 or \$5000," replied Holley.

TWKSBUURY GRANGE MEETING

Held With Large Attendance—Entertainment Given—Coming Events Announced

The members of Tewksbury grange held a very important and interesting meeting last night in Vestry hall, Tewksbury Centre. There was a large attendance and at the close of the business meeting the doors were opened and all who wished to attend were welcomed. Among the newcomers were some 15 school children, who were deeply interested in the entertainment. Of course there was a reason.

At the last meeting of the grange it was voted to open a contest for the school children, and suitable prizes were given for the occasion. The contest consisted of the best essay or report of the public meeting, and the copies will be submitted to the grange officers, and prizes awarded at the next meeting.

State Overseer Chapman of Andover was present and the business meeting was presided over by Overseer Daniel Pike. Two applications for membership were received and considerable business concerning the grange was disposed of.

At the close of the business meeting the public was admitted and a varied entertainment program was rendered. The first number on the program consisted of several vocal selections by State Overseer Chapman and the singer was forced to respond to several encores, his singing being so pleasing. He later gave a valuable address on the good of the order.

A very interesting number was a debate on "Equal Suffrage," many taking part in the conversation. It was rumored that several men spoke on the question and that their sentiment was really in favor of equal suffrage, and a good proof of this was given at the close of the debate when a vote was

taken and the result was 19 in favor of equal suffrage and 5 in favor of the question being in favor.

"Why I Should Vote" was the title of a reading given by Mrs. Clarence Foster, and this bit of literature was well received. The final number was an interesting talk on the "Balkan War" by Mr. Albert J. Trull.

During the time the entertainment was going on the several school children who were admitted into the hall were seated and took notes as only a reporter would do.

The grange has arranged a series of entertainments for the year 1913 and the list is as follows:

Feb. 17.—Debate, The Necessities of Tewksbury Grange. Music: Valentine box.

March 3.—Conferring First and Second Degrees. Shadow pantomime.

March 17.—Conferring Third and Fourth degrees. Third by ladies' degree staff. Fourth by regular officers. Supper. Inspection.

April 1.—Surprise entertainment. Reading Mrs. Gerrish. Book party.

April 15.—Discussion. Which is the most essential to the farmer? Education or experience. Darby Breach of Promise Case.

May 6.—Box party. Proceeds to be given to state educational aid fund. Entertainment in charge of music committee.

May 21.—Memorial night. In charge of Graces.

July 15.—Lawn party.

Aug. 12.—Past masters' night.

Sept. 2.—Debate. Could a farm run on the principles of 50 years ago be successful today?

Sept. 16.—Nail driving contest for ladies. Reading. Music.

Oct. 7.—Neighbors' night. Entertainment.

ment by visiting grange. Applications for membership.

Oct. 21.—Exhibition of vegetables, fruit and cooking. Sale of same.

Nov. 4.—Conferring first and second degrees. Music.

Nov. 18.—Conferring third and fourth degrees. Supper.

Dec. 2.—Nomination of officers. Drama.

Dec. 16.—Election of officers. The members of the grange are: Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Alexander, Tewksbury, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Billings, Tewksbury, Mass.

Geo. H. Brown, Tewksbury, Mass.

Miss Ada Bridges, North Wilmington, R. I.

Mr. Philip Battles, Lowell, Mass.

Mr. A. Clark, Commonwealth avenue, Lowell.

Mrs. Olive M. Clark, 8 Western avenue, Lowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Evan Cameron, Lowell, R. I.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Cameron, Lowell, R. I.

Mr. and Mrs. Esther Catherwood, Epping street, Lowell.

Miss Esther Catherwood, Epping street, Lowell.

J. I. Carter, North Wilmington, R. I.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carter, North Wilmington, R. I.

Mrs. Mabel Cameron, Tewksbury, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Clark, Tewksbury, Mass.

Miss Mary Coombs, Tewksbury, Mass.

Mrs. Carrie D. Chase, Tewksbury, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Darby, Lowell, R. I.

Ray Dismore, Tewksbury, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. George P. Dawson, Tewksbury, Mass.

Harry C. Dawson, Tewksbury, Mass.

George D. Forstall, Tewksbury, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Foster, Tewksbury, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Fitzgerald, Billerica, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. French, 46 Middle street, Lowell.

Ward C. Frost, Tattsville, Vt.

Mrs. Clara French, Arlington, Mass.

Mrs. Anna Frost, Tewksbury, Mass.

Miss Donna D. Farmer, Tewksbury, Mass.

Mrs. Edie Gentry, Tewksbury, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Foster, Lowell, R. I.

Levi Gould, Main street, Melrose, Mass.

Dr. F. G. Guillard, Wyman's Exchange, Lowell, Mass.

Miss Nettie Guillard, Lowell, R. I.

Mrs. Emma Greene, Wilmington, R. I.

Fred Garland, Wameit.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Hooper, Jr., Wilmington, R. I.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Haines, No. Billerica, R. I.

Miss Edith Haines, 9 May street, Lowell.

Mrs. Florence B. King, Tewksbury, Mass.

Miss Blanche King, Tewksbury, Mass.

Mrs. W. Kierian, Tewksbury, Mass.

W. T. Lewis, Tewksbury, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. James Long, No. Wilmington, R. I.

Miss M. H. Laws, 29 Dartmouth street, Lawrence, Mass.

Mrs. Emma McLaren, Wilmington, R. I.

Mr. and Mrs. James Miller, Tewksbury, Mass.

Mrs. Richard Livingston, Tewksbury, Mass.

Mrs. J. H. Livingston, Tewksbury, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Norris, Tewksbury, Mass.

Miss Blanche E. Newton, Tewksbury, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Joel P. Phelps, Tewksbury, Mass.

Daniel Pike, Wameit.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Parsons, No. Billerica, R. I.

Miss Bertha Parsons, No. Billerica, R. I.

Mr. D. I. Mildred Palmer, 59 Epping street, Lowell.

R. Rice, Lowell, R. I.

John Rice, Tewksbury, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Shedd, Woburn street, Lowell.

Miss Theresa Small, Tewksbury, Mass.

Mrs. Edna Miller Small, Tewksbury, Mass.

Edna Strickland, Tewksbury, Mass.

Mrs. Maria Saunders, No. Wilmington, R. I.

Mrs. Sarah Saunders, address not known.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Trull, Lowell, R. I.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Trull, Lowell, R. I.

Mr. H. L. Trull, Lowell, R. I.

The officers are: Master, Percy Haines. Lecturer, Daniel Pike. Overseer, J. H. Norris. Steward, Harry Dawson. Assistant steward, Fred Garland. Captain, George Norris. Treasurer, J. H. Phelps. Secretary, Olin Clark. Gate keeper, Elmer Strickland. Ceres, Edna Farmer. Flora, Evelyn Norris. Lady assistant steward, Mamie Coombs.

Frankie, Carrie Chase.

The committee on the part of the Tewksbury board of trade will hold a meeting tomorrow evening, at which time the question of a trolley express through the village will again be taken up. The following committee was appointed some time ago to confer with the officials of the Bay State Street Railway Co. on the trolley express matter: Arthur A. Cline, chairman; William Speak, Carey Waterman.

The committee did as advised and interviewed the officials of the Bay State Co., but their work was not very fruitful, for it seems that the company is not quite ready for such a project. However, this question is not going to be dropped, but more efforts will be made to secure the express, which, according to many, is a necessity in the village.

The postponed meeting of the board will be held on Feb. 13 and the feature of the evening will be an address on "Transportation" by Mr. Sawyer of Boston. The executive committee of the board has decided to have monthly lectures at the rooms and the first will be held on Feb. 13. Now the committee is trying to have as the next speaker a party from Washington, D. C., who will speak on "Road Construction."

There are now 65 members on the board and an effort will be made to increase the membership to 100, and it is believed that this will be done.

LOWELL'S BUILDING INSPECTOR

Takes Part in Discussion of Important Legislative Act

Inspector of Buildings Francis Connor went to Boston yesterday to participate in a discussion of a bill providing for the appointment of a commission to investigate the regulations now in force throughout the commonwealth relative to construction, alterations and maintenance of buildings. The bill was introduced in the legislature by the Master Builders' association of Boston and there will be a hearing on the bill before the committee on mercantile affairs at the state house, room 411, tomorrow forenoon, at 10:30 o'clock.

The conference or discussion, yesterday, was held in the office of counsel for the Master Builders' association, Messrs. Elder, Whitman & Barnum, Pemberton building, Pemberton square. Those present included Commissioner Everett of Boston, building inspectors from different parts of the state and prominent architects and builders. The act that furnished food for discussion reads as follows:

Section 1—A commission shall be appointed by the governor with the advice and consent of the council, whose duty it shall be to investigate the various statutes, ordinances and regulations now in force throughout the various cities and towns of the commonwealth relative to the construction, alterations and maintenance of buildings within their limits, with a view of establishing uniformity in general requirements, and determining what regulations for such purposes may be adopted, either for the state as a whole, or under a classification of cities and towns, so that general regulations may be made for each class. Such commission may make report to the general court on or before Feb. 1, 1914, and shall, as a part of such report, draft an act containing such general regulations upon its passage.



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for the construction, alteration and maintenance of buildings as it may deem best to recommend. Such act may include, if the commission and it is desirable, a provision for a permanent board or commission, which shall have a general supervisory power over the administration of building laws and regulations throughout the state, and shall act in an advisory capacity to local authorities when modification of building laws and regulations become desirable. The commission shall be paid in the prosecution of its labors sum not to exceed twenty-five hundred dollars.

Section 2—This act shall take effect upon its passage.

CARS STONED AND RAILS BLOCKED

Strikers Attacked Cars on Which Operatives Were Riding—Stone Wall Pulled Down

NORTH PROVIDENCE, R. I., Feb. 5.—Electric cars were stoned and the rails blocked by strikers at the Edmond cotton mill here today. The cars which were attacked contained operatives from another mill. Several people were cut and bruised but none seriously injured. The strikers pulled down a stone wall near a trolley and used the stones to erect a barrier

across the street railroad tracks. Attempts are said to have been made to cut down telegraph and telephone poles.

The guard around the mill, where a strike has been in progress for about three weeks, was increased and preparations were made today to provide a larger force to protect the property and the employees who are working tonight.

DEADLOCK IS STILL ON

No Choice for Senator in New Hampshire

CONCORD, N. H., Feb. 5.—The regular ballot for United States senator taken in the New Hampshire legislature at noon today resulted as heretofore in no choice, but was taken under circumstances that at one time threatened to become sensational. A number of representatives arrived too late because of a delayed train to be in the hall when the balloting began and the doors were locked. They entered the public gallery and from that point addressed the speaker, demanding entrance and their constitutional right to vote, and some of them clambered down from the gallery into the hall of representatives. After debate it was voted to allow members so arriving the right to vote, the doors were opened and the ballot proceeded resulting as follows:

Whole number of votes: 119. Necessary for a choice, 210. Henry F. Hollis, 205; Edward N. Pearson, 151; Robert P. Bues, 21.

MORE THAN \$5,000,000

Will Be Distributed Among Holders of Common Stock of the American Tobacco Company

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—More than \$5,000,000 will be distributed among holders of the common stock of the American Tobacco Co. by a 15 per cent. extra dividend declared today. Like the \$5,000,000 "melon" dividend last week by the Standard Oil Co. of New Jersey this extra dividend results from the supreme court decree dissolving the old corporation and represents proceeds of the sale of certain treasury securities in accordance with the decree of dissolution.

The dividend today will make a total of \$11,000,000 in extra dividends received by the stockholders since the old American Tobacco Co. was dissolved.

FUNERAL NOTICES

MELLEN—The funeral of Mrs. E. J. Mellen will take place from her residence, 74 Pentucket avenue, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. J. A. Weinback in charge.

BROWN—The funeral of Mrs. George E. Brown will take place from her home, 79 Chestnut street, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends invited. Burial private. J. A. Weinback in charge.

LYNCH—The funeral of the late John E. Lynch will take place Friday morning at 8 o'clock from the home of his brother, Michael J. Lynch, 15 Second avenue, Pawtucketville. A mass of requiem will be sung at St. Columba's church at 9 o'clock. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons in charge.

WILSON TO ATTEND DEDICATION

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Feb. 5.—President-elect Wilson in a letter to David R. Francis, president of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition company, has indicated that he will attend the dedication of the Jefferson memorial here April 20.

New York Man Died in London

LONDON, Feb. 5.—Bradley Martin of New York died here this afternoon from pneumonia. Mr. Martin was in his 72nd year. His daughter, Cornelia, was married in 1893 to the Earl of Craven.

Miss Abbie Smith, the well known and popular milliner, has been placed in charge of the millinery department of the Glidre department store, where she will be pleased to see all her old friends.

FIELD SHOOT TALK

Members of Court Samuel de Champlain, P. of A. Entertained Out of Town Guests Last Night

The regular meeting of Court Samuel de Champlain, P. of A., was held last night in Elks' hall in Middle street. Chief Ranger Albert E. Sabourin occupied the chair and considerable business was transacted. At the close of the business meeting a smoke talk was held and a very enjoyable evening was spent.

Among the guests were Grand Chief Ranger James of Newton, District Deputy James Conney of Newton, District Deputy Albert McDougal of this city, and the following deputies also from this city: David Gerow, Narcisse Gidols.

Two new members were initiated and speeches were in order. All the guests, addressing the gathering, refreshments and cigars were served and a rollicking good time was enjoyed until a late hour.

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FUNERALS

LYNCH—The many friends of John E. Lynch, a well known resident of Pawtucketville, will be grieved to learn of his death, which occurred this morning at the home of his brother, Michael J. Lynch, 15 Second avenue, after a lingering illness aged 40 years. Deceased was a valued employ of the Lowell water department and an esteemed member of various societies including the Lowell council, K. of C., the local order of Eagles and the Holy Name Society of St. Columba's church. He leaves three brothers, Michael J., the well known janitor of the High school; Thomas F., and Bernard P. Lynch; the latter of Lynn, Mass. and one sister, Mrs. Ellen O'Leary.

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MEN'S RUBBERS, all styles, former price 75c, sale price... 59c
WOMEN'S LOW CUT RUBBERS, former price 50c, sale price... 39c
WOMEN'S TAN RUBBERS, former price \$1.00, sale price... 59c
BOYS' RUBBERS, sizes 2 1-2 to 6, former price 65c, sale price... 49c
LITTLE BOYS' RUBBERS, sizes 9 to 2, former price 50c, sale price... 39c
MISSES' ROLLED EDGE RUBBERS, sizes 11 to 2, former price 65c, sale price... 49c
CHILDREN'S ROLLED EDGE RUBBERS, sizes 6 to 10 1-2, former price 50c, sale price... 39c
MISSES' GOOD QUALITY RUBBERS, sizes 11 to 2, former price 50c, sale price... 39c
CHILDREN'S GOOD QUALITY RUBBERS, sizes 3 to 10 1-2, former price 40c, sale price... 29c
MEN'S HEAVY 1-BUCKLE SERVICE HEEL ARCTICS, sizes 6 to 11, former price \$1.25, sale price... 98c
MEN'S RUBBER BOOTS, all sizes, on well known make, \$1.00 quality, for... \$2.98
LITTLE BOYS' HEAVY RUBBER BOOTS, good quality, never sold for less than \$2.00, size 13 1-2 only, while they last, sale price... \$1.49
LITTLE BOYS' 1-BUCKLE OVERSHOES, sizes 11 to 2, former price \$1.00, sale price... 79c
We have just received about 100 pairs of MEN'S HEAVY TAN SHOES, made of oil tan leather, just the thing for the man out of doors, who does not like to wear rubbers, \$3.50 value, for... \$2.98
Try a can of DRI-FOOT, the great waterproof dressing, former price 25c, sale price... 19c can

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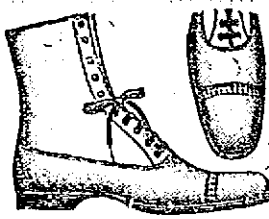
THURSDAY SPECIALS

HUCK TOWELS—50 dozen good heavy huck towels, good large size, colored borders and plain white, seconds of the 12c to 19c quality. Thursday special... 10c each
40 INCH BROWN COTTON—One bale of good fine cotton, 40 inches wide, for pillow cases and sheets, 9c value on the piece. Thursday special... 6c yard
9-4 SEAMLESS SHEETING—One case of good bleached seamless sheeting, full size, good strong cotton, 30c value. Thursday special... 23c yard
BED COMFORTERS—About 11 dozen good comforters, regular and extra size, filled with good clean cotton and good covering, in light, medium and dark colors, \$2.00 and \$2.50 values. Thursday special... \$1.50
LADIES' WOOL HOSE—Ladies' wool hose, black and oxford, plain and ribbed, 25c value. Thursday special... 15c pair
MEN'S FLEECE UNDERWEAR—Men's heavy fleece lined underwear, shirts and drawers, broken sizes, 50c value. Thursday special... 25c
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20 Dozen Ladies' Gowns, made of fine nainsook, in about 9 different styles, garments made full length and nicely trimmed with fine lace, embroidery, beading and ribbon, \$1.00 value. Thursday special... 55c each
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THURSDAY, FRIDAY and SATURDAY

Over 500 pairs of shoes, soiled from handling—old styles—slow selling lines, discontinued lasts, narrow widths, marked away below regular prices. Parents will find in this sale a great chance to save money on children's footwear.

Shoes that formerly sold at 75c and \$1, 49c now marked
Shoes that formerly sold at \$1, \$1.25, 69c now marked
Shoes that formerly sold at \$1.50 and \$2.00, 98c now marked

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AN INCREASE OF SALARIES VOTED

For Elementary Teachers—Matrons Restored—Appointments by Competition

NEW SCHEDULE OF TEACHERS' SALARIES ADOPTED BY THE SCHOOL BOARD

First year, (minimum)	\$500
Second and third years	\$550
Fourth and fifth years	\$600
Sixth and seventh years	\$650
Eighth and ninth years	\$700
Tenth year	\$750
Eleventh and thereafter, (maximum)	\$800

A rule was adopted providing that evening school positions will hereafter be filled by competitive examinations.

At the regular meeting of the school board held last night the recommendation of the finance committee on scheduled salary increases was unanimously adopted. The schedule reduces new teachers from \$500 to \$550, but this will have to do entirely with teachers who are employed in the future. Present day teachers will not suffer a reduction and neither does the reduction apply to permanent substitute teachers.

The committee on rules submitted a report making changes and additions in the rules adopted by the committee of 1912 and the report was unanimously adopted. The most important change has to do with the evening schools. The new rules, or rules as amended, establish a standard of qualification for evening school teachers and requires competitive examinations.

Mrs. Elizabeth A. Strout and Mrs. Lillian Morrison, displaced as matrons last year, were restored to their positions at the Highland and Pawtucket schools, respectively.

The Meeting
The regular hour for meetings of the school board is 8 o'clock, but it was 9:25 o'clock when the meeting was called to order last night. Last year's board was the banner one for late meetings and it would seem as if this year's board might be a close second. There was some excuse, however, for the board being late in getting together last night inasmuch as a long conference was necessary before the meeting. The committee did not leave the hall until 2 o'clock yesterday morning, having worked all of Monday night on the rules. That is certainly making a record.

The first business after the reading of the records, last night, was the report by Dr. Bailey, for the committee on rules, recommending certain changes. The rules were read by the secretary, embodying the proposed changes and additions, after which they were adopted.

Salary Changes
Mr. Farrington, for the committee on finance, moved that Miss Vinton's salary deduction be restored, as asked, and it was so voted, without dissent.

Mr. Farrington also reported the recommendation of the finance committee on scheduled salary increases, and the report was unanimously adopted after some discussion. The schedule of salaries to take effect immediately for the elementary grade teachers, is as follows:

First year, (minimum) \$500; second and third years, \$550; fourth and fifth years, \$600; sixth and seventh years, \$650; eighth and ninth years, \$700; tenth year, \$750; eleventh and thereafter, (maximum) \$800. The salaries of Miss Edwards and Miss Underhill, supervisors of drawing, were increased \$50 each to conform to the maximum of \$800, and the salary of Miss Fanny A. Thompson, of the superintendent's office, was raised to \$700. The report also embodied the following: "It is the sense of this committee that the present class of permanent substitutes, when elected, be elected at the schedule in force at the time of their coming into service."

After presenting the report, Mr. Farrington said that it was his intention to vote for it, but he demurred to the fact that under the new schedule which reduces new teachers from \$500 which they formerly received to \$550 the effect will be that at the end of 10 years, teachers will suffer a reduction of earnings, amounting to \$250. To be sure, after reaching the maximum salary this will soon be made up, but he would have preferred a schedule that would have given the teachers \$550 in 10 years.

Mr. Campbell said that the Lowell Teachers' organization had asked for a flat increase of \$100 after 10 years, and this will be given by the adoption of this report. He would have liked to see the younger teachers also profit by the schedule, but he did not think the present finances of the city justified it. He personally communicated with superintendents of schools in 17 different cities, and it seemed to him that this was the only equitable basis of salary adjustment.

The report was adopted unanimously.

That the splendid work performed by Mr. William H. Dooley as principal of the Industrial school of this city has been appreciated was made manifest last night when his resignation was read at the regular meeting of the school board. It was Committee Chairman Thompson who voiced the committee's appreciation of Mr. Dooley's work. "Mr. Dooley has done splendid work in this city," said Mr. Thompson,

"and I am sure that the members of this board appreciate it. He is an educator and an organizer and Lowell was fortunate in having him as the first head of her Industrial school. He succeeded in gathering together, free of charge, a splendid industrial school equipment, including some very valuable machinery. His splendid efforts are worthy the highest appreciation, and I am glad to know that his fine work has been recognized." Mr. Dooley, in his letter of resignation, thanked the committee members for their kind co-operation. His resignation will take effect March 3.

Candidates for Mr. Dooley's position, up to date, include Clarence Lesner



DR. JOHN H. LAMBERT,
Chairman of School Board

and William A. Webb, both instructors at the Industrial school; Thomas P. Fisher, teacher at the High school, and William C. Smith of Indianapolis. Mr. Smith is or has been connected with the Winsor Trade school and took part in the organization of the first manual training school in this country. Mr. Smith was in Lowell yesterday. It was stated today that Mr. O'Leary of the New Bedford Industrial school is a candidate for the principalship of the Lowell school.

Resignations Accepted
Under reports of superintendent, resignations were accepted as follows: Mrs. Curley of the Green school; Miss Frances Clark of the Bartlett school; Mrs. Minnie Gibson Longley, and Principal William H. Dooley of the Industrial school. Mr. Dooley's resignation will take effect on or before March 3. All these resignations were accepted with an accompanying vote of appreciation for service.

Wants Salary Balance
Carl D. Hurtt, sub-master of the high school, petitioned for balance of salary, amounting to \$112.50, deducted because of enforced absence on account of quarantine. He said that as his absence was enforced for the public good, he felt that the public should stand the loss; and, as a matter of fact, the school department had profited by his absence, to the extent of \$112.50.

The petition was referred to the committee on finance.

Leave of absence for one month additional, was granted to Miss Katherine Kelly.

Miss Dunelle, secretary of the Y. W. C. A., asked permission to give notice, in the evening school rooms, of classes to be conducted at the association after the close of the evening schools, and to invite the pupils to a social. It was voted without dissent.

The inspector of wires, in a communication, reported imperfect wiring in the Mann school. The matter was reported to the committee on school houses and hygiene, with full power.

Cornelius Desion sent a communication stating that he has conscientious scruples against his son taking part in military drill, and asking that he be excused from so doing, but requesting that the boy be permitted to take part in athletic. The request was referred to the committee on high school and the superintendent of schools, for action.

The School Matrons
Under the head of new business, Mr. Campbell asked whether the secretary had found any record of Mrs. Strout's election as matron of the Highland school. The secretary reported that he had found no such record.

Mr. Campbell said that Mrs. Strout has been paid by the city of Lowell for 12 years or more, for performing the duties of that office, and he thought that was evidence enough that she was working, and that her presence there had been ratified by the school board. He moved that she be elected matron of the Highland school, in place of the present incumbent, Mr. Thompson seconded.

Mr. Farrington wanted to know what the duties and qualifications are.

Mr. Campbell said that in March 1912, Mrs. Veronika Molander was elected to that position by the school committee of 1912. He thought the duties of Mrs. Strout would be exactly

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No Goods Carried Over TO NEXT SEASON

Final Grand Clean Up of Men's and Boys' High Grade Clothing, Hats and Furnishings and Women's Outer Garments Will Take Place

THURSDAY MORNING AT 8 O'CLOCK

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For Suits that were \$10, \$12 and \$15.

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Your choice from our entire stock of fancy Overcoats **\$13.75**

Values up to \$25.00

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Your choice from \$5.00 and \$6.00 Pants **\$4.25**

Your choice from \$4.00 and \$5.00 Pants **\$3.25**

Your choice from \$3 and \$3.50 Pants **\$2.65**

Your choice from \$2 and \$2.50 Pants **\$1.85**

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Your choice from our entire stock of Skirts **\$2.95**

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Your choice of any \$20 or \$22.50 Suit or Coat in our stock.... **\$13.75**

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Your choice from 300 Boys' Suits, with knickerbocker pants **\$2.95**

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Your choice from 150 Boys' Overcoats **\$2.95**

Values up to \$5.00

Boys' 50c and 75c Waists Shirts **35c, 3 for \$1**

BOYS' 50c HATS and CAPS **39c**

BOYS' \$1.00 and \$1.50 HATS and CAPS **79c**

BOYS' 50c KNICKERBOCKER PANTS **39c**

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20 dozen Men's \$2.00 and \$3.00 Soft Hats **\$1.50**

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Your choice from 1000 MEN'S SHIRTS that were priced \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.00 **79c**

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And Hundreds of other lots not mentioned here. Be on hand early THURSDAY and take advantage of these great reductions.

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SHOT AT BY BURGLARS ONE KILLED, THREE HURT

Quincy Girl Tells Police
of Experience

BOSTON, Feb. 5.—While returning to her home on Gloucester place, Quincy, last night, Ethel Miller, 13, was pursued and shot at by an unknown man, according to the story she told the police.

The girl, who is the daughter of Mrs. Marjorie Miller, had been visiting her sister, Mrs. Alice Miller, at 21 Pearl street. On her way home she took a short cut, passing over what is known as the "Gap," where the road passes through a field and crosses a brook. As the girl passed the corner of Quincy avenue and Water street, she saw a man following her. She quickened her pace and he did also.

As she neared the "Gap" she started to run, and suddenly heard a shot. A building which accompanied her, and which, according to the family, knows no fear except when he hears the noise of a shot, lay down in the snow and whined. The girl, terrified, dashed up the steps of her home and told her brother, Walter, who had heard the shot and her screams. Two neighbors, John Thompson and Joseph Beach, also said they had heard the shot.

Cost of Throat
We, the undersigned, take this means of expressing our heartfelt thanks to the hero who so kindly assisted us in the hour of our bereavement in the death of our beloved son and brother Daniel. We are also grateful to those who sent floral tributes. We shall always remember their kindness.

(Signed) Mrs. Margaret Fagan and Family.

Coach Brook's Election Ratified

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 5.—George Brook, whose election as coach of the University of Pennsylvania football team was ratified yesterday by the board of directors of the athletic association, will meet candidates for next election today and discuss the question of holding spring practice. Brook declares that he believes in making an early start in order to ascertain what material he will have to work with next fall.

Candidates for the varsity crew have also been ordered to report for their first work of the season this afternoon.

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I was seriously ill for three months or more, which finally terminated in such a weakened and painful condition that I was confined to my bed a great part of the time and unable to perform my ordinary household duties. Suffered with severe pains in my head, shoulders, and unable to eat the lightest food. Treated with a local physician without receiving any beneficial results or getting any improvement. Was advised by a friend to take Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root and after giving it a fair trial I found my health was restored and can cheerfully and sincerely recommend Swamp-Root to any one suffering with kidney trouble, as I have the fullest confidence in its merits. If given a fair trial, I shall be very glad if my few words of appreciation can encourage other sufferers in taking the same treatment which has done so much for me.

Sincerely yours,

MRS. HANNAH CARLE,

120 S. Bell Ave., Springfield, Ohio.

Before me a Notary Public, in and for Clark County and State of Ohio, personally appeared Hannah Carle, this 21st day of November, 1911, and made oath that the above statement was true in substance and fact.

GOLDEN C. DAVIS,

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ISLAND FALLS, Me., Feb. 5.—One man was killed and three injured, one possibly fatally, in a fight at Silver Ridge, near Sherman, Monday night.

John Foy, single, was killed by a rifle shot. Patrick St. John was badly cut and his recovery is considered doubtful. Charles Lean and John St. John were wounded, but not seriously injured.

A broken rifle was found which evidently had been used as a club. Sheriff Bryson, Deputy Sheriff Curless and Coroner Buzzell started from Houlton at once for the scene, to make their investigation. According to meager information there had been drinking and all the men were fighting. Silver Ridge is a plantation in Arceostock county, 45 miles southwest of Houlton, the shire town. It is connected by stage with Sherman. The population is only 155. The principal industry is lumbering.

Charged with the murder of Foy, John St. John was arrested yesterday and will be given a hearing at Houlton today. A coroner's jury reported that Foy was killed by a rifle bullet by someone unknown, but thought to be John St. John. An autopsy on Foy's body will be performed today at Sherman Mills.

MATRIMONIAL

Francis J. King and Miss Margaret W. Anderson were married Monday evening at St. Patrick's rectory, the officiating clergyman being Rev. Fr. Keenan. The bride was attended by Miss Elizabeth F. Anderson, while the best man was James M. Dawson. The young couple are now enjoying their honeymoon in New York and Philadelphia.

MORRISON-BISCORNET

William Colburn Morrison and Miss Olga Biscornet were married yesterday afternoon by Rev. F. G. Alger at his home, 113 Varum avenue. The couple will live at 4 Eighth avenue and will be at home to their friends after April 1. No cards.

MAHONEY-O'BRIEN

Miss Mary Louise O'Brien, daughter of Mrs. Mary E. O'Brien of 64 Fourth avenue, and Mr. John Mahoney of 55 White street, were united in marriage yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock by Rev. John A. Foxan. The bride was attended in a brown traveling suit and carried a bouquet of bride roses. She was attended by Miss Margaret A. Paulding, attired in blue and carrying a bouquet of Jack roses. The best man was Mr. William Grayella. A wedding reception was held at the home of the bride's mother after the ceremony. The bride and bridegroom left for their wedding journey on the 7:21 train, their return they will make their home at 56 Loring street, Haverhill, Mass., and will be at home to their friends after March 1st.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

Opera House

If you are an habitual theatre-goer, says the San Francisco Chronicle, you must have noticed that there are two great classes of public performers, those who step out on the platform with all their intended effects prepared beforehand, and those who allow their moods to develop spontaneously before the audience. The artist of the cut and dried type usually ignores the audience as much as possible and cultivates a certain aloofness. The spontaneous sort carry on a sort of musical conversation which has a personal appeal to every one within hearing.

Madam Schumann-Heink manages to establish the charming atmosphere of intimacy between the stage and the stalls which allows every ticket holder to indulge in the illusion that music is being made for him. The coming of Schumann-Heink to the Opera House marks a distinct epoch in the musical history of our city. It is always difficult to write of this woman with the "God-given" voice and magnetic personality, but the foregoing probably more than anything else which has been written about this marvelous vocalist explains the reason for the hostess' maid this unique artist the world over.

Her engagement in this city takes place on Friday evening at the Opera House and not only the general public of our city interested in her forthcoming appearance, but applications for hundreds of tickets have been made at the box office from 10 o'clock on, and who desire to attend the great musical event.

THE LONGERAN PLAYERS

The brilliant comedy drama, "A Woman's Way," has been selected as the first week's play to be presented at the Opera House by the Longeran Players who are to begin a season of dramatic stock productions here next Monday evening, Feb. 19. "A Woman's Way" is the play in which Miss Grace George made one of her greatest hits, appearing in this play for over 100 nights in New York as well as touring the country with most successful results. The play is particularly adapted for presentation by a stock company as there are many excellent characters to be portrayed and has for this reason been selected by Mr. Longeran as the bill in which to first present his company to local theatre-goers for approval.

Seats for all performances are now on sale at the box office and a lively interest is already evinced in the forthcoming performances. For the second week of the engagement "The Man from Home" will be the bill.

The Playhouse

There are many pleasant features in

connection with this week's presentation

of "Her Lord and Master" by The Drama Players. Among other things it marks the return of the leading man, J. Anthony Smythe, after an absence of a week, and it introduces Miss Constance Jackson in a character which she presents in a most artistic and finished style. The play itself is one of exceptional merit and is very correctly classed with the best offerings of the season. Mrs. Myers as the mother, "Lady Helena Gargrave," and Mr. Thomas Carroll as "Fennings," the butler, are two characters that are as true to life as they could possibly be made. The other members are pleasingly cast. Next week "Camille."

B. F. Keith's Theatre

It's a wee bit snowy and cold but if you like lawn parties go to the Keith theatre, this week, and see one and suffer no discomforts. Ten youngsters—and they're mighty lively ones at that—run through a lot of impersonations which will make you up as you haven't been for months. Will J. Dooler, the county sheriff, who introduces the children, is more than ordinarily competent as a fun maker. Among other good things on this bill are: Marie Fenton, edic singer; Chuck & McCullough, tramp comedians; Ethel Bonnell & Co., novelty jugglers and wire performers; Bert Weston & Co., in "The Governor Pro Tem"; Billy Fields and La Adella, two musical Irishmen. It is a well balanced bill. Good seats may be secured for all performances. Box office number is 28.

Merrimack Square Theatre

A really delightful feature of the excellent bill at the Merrimack Square theatre this week is "Psycho." It is one of the most mysterious offerings Lowell ever witnessed. To describe it would only take from the satisfaction of seeing her perform. At the special performance last night one of the largest crowds of the season declared her act to be the greatest mystery ever staged in Lowell. Another feature act is given by The Temple Players. This clever company with all the old favorites and a few new ones presents "In Her Old Home Town." Kris, a magical magician, Ella Cameron & Co. in "A Night Out" and "The Steeple-chase," a two reel special photo-play complete the bill.

ANNUAL DANCE

Y. M. C. I. Held Social Party at Associate Hall Last Night—There Was a Large Attendance

The members of the Y. M. C. I. held their annual social and dancing party at Associate hall last evening. There was a very large attendance and the affair was very successful. At 8 o'clock a varied musical program was rendered by McCall's orchestra, and at 9 o'clock general dancing was started.

A dance order of 39 numbers and several extra was gone through and to those present the evening was a most pleasant one. The officers of the evening were as follows: James P. Gilligan, general manager; James J. Flanagan, assistant general manager; Arthur J. O'Neill, floor director; William Kennedy, assistant floor director; Joseph T. McGarvey, chief aid; John McCallister, Edna Cawley, John H. Cole Howard, the Druggist, 197 Central St.

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GENTLY CLEANSE YOUR LIVER AND SLUGGISH BOWELS WHILE YOU SLEEP

Sick headache, biliousness, dizziness, coated tongue, foul taste and food, breath—always trace them to torpid liver, delayed fermenting food in the bowels or sour, gassy stomach.

Poisonous matter clogged in the intestines, instead of being cast out of the system is re-absorbed into the blood. When this poison reaches the delicate brain tissue it causes congestion and that dull, throbbing, sickening headache.

Salts, cathartic pills, oil and purgative waters force a passage for a day or two—yes—but they don't take the poisons out and have no effect upon the liver or stomach.

Cascarets immediately cleanse and regulate the stomach, remove the sour, undigested and fermenting food and foul gases, take the excess bile from the liver and carry out of the system all the constipated waste matter and poisons in the bowels.

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SAYS HE SAW GRAND JURY RECORDS

"Big Bill" Keliher Says He Was Shown Transcript of Coleman's Testimony

BOSTON, Feb. 5.—Formal action on the revelations made by "Big Bill" Keliher was taken yesterday, when Assistant District Attorney F. J. Groel of New York saw Keliher and obtained from him the names of police officers implicated in the fare game. Mr. Groel will make his report to Dist. Atty. Whitman today.

Keliher continued yesterday his remarkable revelations.

Records of Coleman's Testimony
No statement made yet was more amazing than that when he returned to Boston after the bank failure he was promptly shown a complete transcript of Coleman's testimony before the Suffolk grand jury.

Dist. Atty. Whitman at the time the rumors about the fare men were going the rounds had summoned Coleman before the Suffolk county grand jury.

Shortly after that Keliher came back to Boston, and within an hour after his arrival there was put into his

hands, so he says, a stenographic report of all of Coleman's testimony before the grand jury. In this testimony Coleman had denied that "Big Bill" got any of his money.

The fact that secrets of the grand jury room could be obtained convinced Keliher that his friends were powerful enough to protect him.

How the testimony was obtained Keliher does not know.

Another time Keliher gave up \$500 to a city official. He got the worth of his money, for this man tipped him off as to what train the secret service men were coming to search his house, and the information proved absolutely correct.

Confident of Acquittal
When the jury went out in my case, I was willing to bet \$5000 that I would be acquitted. I had every reason to believe it when the first thing I saw on returning to Boston was a copy of Coleman's testimony before the Suffolk county grand jury, which even the grand jurors themselves are sworn

not to divulge. If the men who pretended to advise me could penetrate into the secrets of the grand jury room I thought there was nothing they could not do.

"There was another incident which I recall and which I think justified me in my belief that I was going to be acquitted through the help of a United States senator. A former mayor of Boston and republican office holder was at that time political manager of this senator. I was told by the man whom I regarded as my best friend and who was then in the Massachusetts senate, that in return for the support which he could give the senator, the case would be fixed up. This looked reasonable, as personally this big republican office-holder called up my friend on the telephone. This was at my friend's house, and I talked over the telephone with this republican office-holder, and went up and told my friend who was on the line, and he came down.

Gave \$500 for Tip
There is still another incident which led me to place confidence in my advisers. I gave a certain attorney \$500 to give a well known city official. I gave him this \$500 because three days before the attorney had telephoned me the train on which this city official was bringing down some service men to examine my house and they came on that very train. That convinced me that this city official and the attorney were standing in together. I believe it to this day.

"Both figured later in a celebrated case. I happened to be in this attorney's office one morning when he came in and said that he had just been asked by one of the leading lawyers in Boston to go in on the case with him. It was a very important case, and the privilege of being associated counsel was very desirable. My lawyer friend, however, did not take such an exalted view of his position in that case.

"He offered me \$5000 for fees and \$10,000 for expenses," said he.

"What is the \$10,000 expenses for?" I asked.

"Why, the jury,"—wants me to bring the jury off of course, I told him I could dispose of the case for \$50,000, but that it would have to be settled in a practical way.

"The case was later settled in what I regard as a very practical way. The day the case was settled this city official was publicly mentioned in the press in connection with the case. Not by name, of course. That would have been too close to libel.

Charged Testimony Changed
This city official was supposed to be helping the government, as his duties required. As the day set for the trial approached he suggested to one

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Several Organizations Held Regular Meetings

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FOUND DEAD IN HIS ROOM

Unhappy Umbrella Mender Last Seen Saturday Afternoon at His Lodgings in Framingham

FRAMINGHAM, Feb. 5.—The body of an old itinerant umbrella mender known here only as "Crazy Peter" was found last evening lying on the bed in his room at the Irving house, Irving square.

He had come to the house Saturday afternoon and had gone to his room. Nothing had since been seen or heard of him and last night the landlady had the door broken down. The medical examiner was notified, though it is supposed he died of natural causes. "Crazy Peter" was about 65 years old.

SAY STRIKE IS ENDED
Manufacturers Make Declaration at Haverhill—Police Called to Quell Disturbance

HAVERHILL, Feb. 5.—Shoe firms that have been affected by the general strike of the cutters and lasters of the United Shoe Workers during the past five weeks declare that normal conditions have been resumed at their factories and that as far as they are concerned the strike is ended.

Change in Train Schedule
The Boston & Maine railroad announces that commencing February 18th, 1913, the through sleeping car now leaving Lowell at 10:42 p. m., daily except Sunday, will leave at 11:50 p. m. and be operated daily, due New York at 7:05 a. m. Returning, car will leave New York daily at 8:10 p. m. instead of 10:15 p. m., due Lowell 3:32 a. m.

Northbound Lowell passengers can remain in car until 7:00 a. m.

SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS
Of St. Michael's Church Held Monthly Meeting Last Evening—Fr. Murphy Delivered Pleasing Address

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For Infants and Children

The Kind You Have Always Bought

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See Us and Save Money

Biggest Bargains in Lowell

—Every Day a Bargain Day—

SOME NEW—SOME USED MORE—SOME LESS

Metball Upt. \$ 80

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\$150—\$450

Your old Piano, Organ, Phonograph, Typewriter, Furniture, Desk, Jewelry or anything of value taken in exchange—Full Value Given.

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Free Delivery Anywhere, Any Time. Trial allowed at Home.

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For the biggest wall paper bargains on earth, while the carpenters, painters and workmen are busy reshelving, etc. The carload of papers received last week at the same prices—1c, 3c, 4c, 8c, 12c, 18c and 28c. Regular values 5c to \$5.00.

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INCREASE OF SALARIES VOTED

Continued

the same as the duties performed by Miss McLaughlin.

Mr. Farrington said this did not answer his question.

Mr. Campbell said that Mr. Farrington, having voted to install a matron in the Highland school, ought to know what her duties and qualifications were.

Mr. Farrington insisted that the committee should know the qualifications of the people they are voting in. Mr. Campbell then referred the question to the superintendent. Mr. Farrington explained that the matrons look after the children during the noon hour, in schools where children remain, and where there are no teachers on duty during that time. Mr. Farrington asked why there are matrons in certain schools and not in others.

Mr. Molloy said they were elected on account of the fact that the children frequently remain there during the noon hour.

Mr. Farrington wanted to know something about the conditions in other schools, whether the children had to care for themselves.

The chairman put the motion, and it was carried, Dr. Bagley voting no and Mr. Farrington declining to vote.

Dr. Lambert then called Mr. Campbell to the chair, and moved as subcommittee of the Board of Education, that Mrs. William Morrison, who presided last year by Mrs. Mary Brown, be elected matron of the Pawtucketville school. It was so voted, Dr. Bagley dissenting and Mr. Farrington not voting.

Mr. Farrington then moved that other subcommittees be instructed to inquire into the need of matrons at their schools, and report at the next meeting. It was so voted, without dissent.

Changes Not Important

None of the changes made in the rules were very important except the new section having to do with evening schools. Here are a few of the more marked changes from the rules of 1912.

Regular meetings are to be held on the last Tuesday in each month, instead of the first and third Tuesdays. All sessions of the school committee shall be public.

Section 4, relating to meetings, is amended to provide that "All final votes involving the expenditure of \$25 or over shall be by yeas and nays and shall be entered on the records." This is in conformity with the provisions of the charter as adopted by the committee of 1912. This section stated that "all final votes involving the expenditure of \$50 or over shall be by yeas and nays when that is practicable."

In the chapter relating to the general rules for schools, section 12, the passage relating to morning exercises in the schools is amended to read: "The morning exercises in each class room shall begin with the reading of a portion of the Bible, without written notes or oral comment, except as otherwise provided by law; and a marginal note refers to the statute bearing on this subject. The sentence, 'No other religious exercises shall be allowed,' which was inserted in the rules by the committee of 1912 and which resulted in the question being raised whether or not it was designed to cut out the Lord's Prayer, is omitted in the amended rule."

In the rules relating to the high school, certain minor changes are made along the line of giving latitude to the head master, in the conduct of the school, without reference to the subcommittee.

The chapter relating to the selection of teachers provides that in case no new teachers are needed in any year, there shall be no public advertisement for examinations. Also, that the corrected examination papers, returned sealed, shall be opened at a public meeting of the school committee.

The drastic rule providing that teachers shall not teach or engage in any pursuit for salary or wages except that within they are hired and paid by the city, unless by special permission of the committee is somewhat modified by the amended rule.

Chapter six, requiring the consent of two-thirds of the school committee for the suspension, repeal or amendment of any rule, is struck out.

Evening School Rules

The new section of the rules having to do with the evening schools is as follows:

Chapter V. Section 1. Certificates of qualification to teach may be granted by the school committee as follows:

Section 2. First grade teachers, headmaster and men teachers of the high school and for masters of grammar schools; second grade, for women teachers in the high school; third grade, for women teachers in the grammar and primary schools; fourth grade, for teachers of kindergarten; fifth grade, for teachers of evening elementary schools; sixth grade, for teachers in the evening drawing school; seventh grade, for teachers in the evening high school.

Section 3. Candidates for certificates of the first and second grades shall be graduates of a college.

Third Grade Certificates

Section 3. A. Between May 1 and

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Some Suggestions for Young and Old and How to Celebrate Valentine's Eve—Appropriate Favors for the Occasion

What shall I do on Valentine's eve that will be exciting?" said a prospective hostess. "The day has been already celebrated in so many attractive ways that one is at a loss for an idea that smacks of originality."

My dear lady in distress, that is not so serious a problem after all if a

table from six to eight inches in height, also covered the fancy lace paper, will give the raised effect so dear to our childish eyes.

In the center place a crimson heart, while floating blue ribbons and a stiff bouquet of flowers edged with lace paper or a Cupid and a pair of cooing

ducks do not fail to have a plate of kisses, the sweet meringue puff balls to be bought at the confectioner's, into which written fortunes and gift rings and jokes of a kindly, impersonal nature may be placed by carefully separating the sticky halves and tying them together with blue and pink ribbons.

In the way of games perhaps nothing will ever take the place of a short round of hearts, novelty and fun being obtained by reversing the usual order of the game, each gaining as many, rather than as few, as he may, for

To throw away a heart is cruel; To get and keep tonight's rule:

In the matter of prizes there is a wide choice, especially for the favored winners of the largest number of

book and line, with an accompanying picture and a rhyme, and for another a potato masher, lettered "Take Lessons," and the rhyme

You've won of other hearts so few, Look out! Perhaps you'll lose yours too!

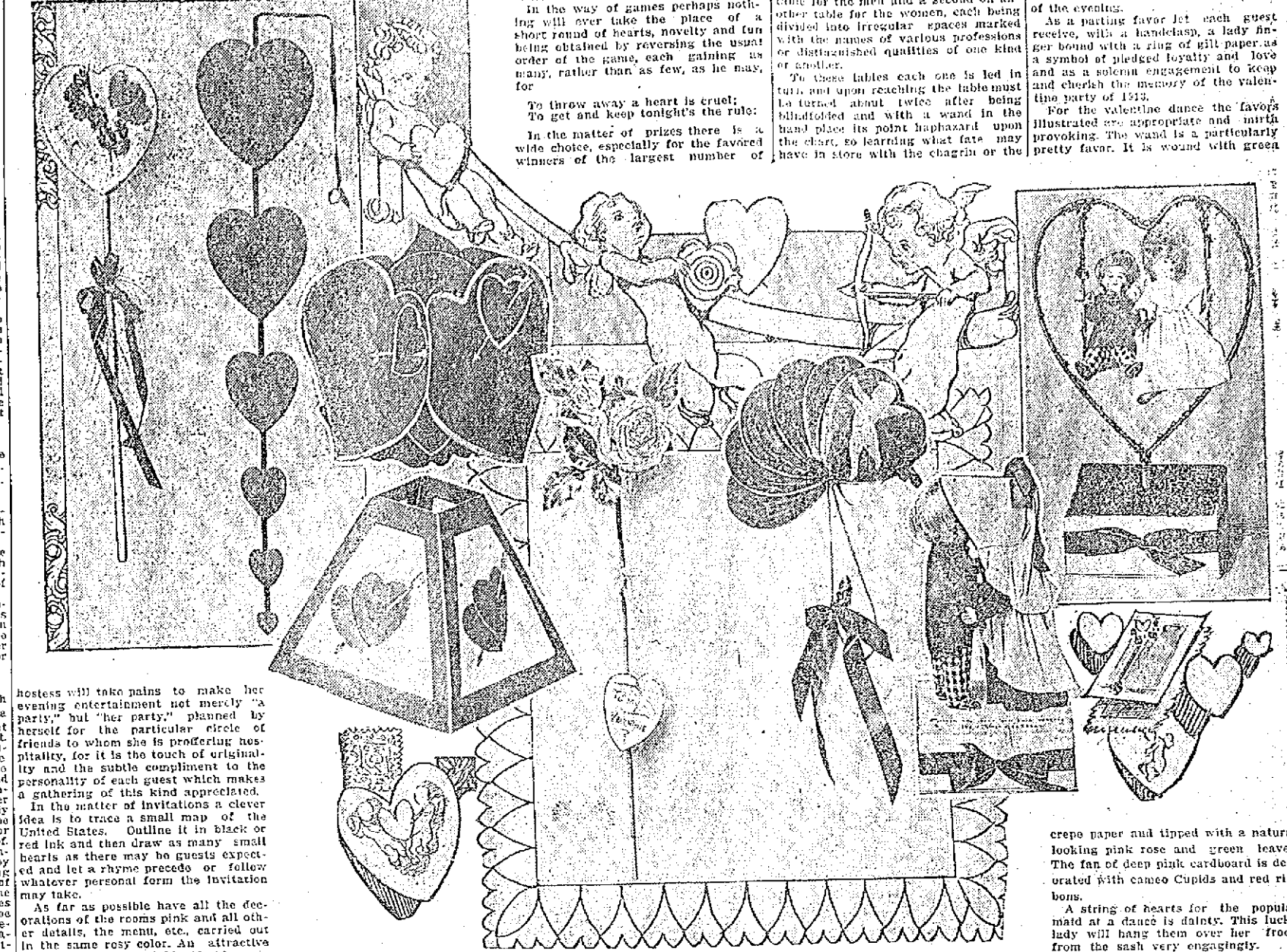
A pleasant between time diversion is to place a sheet of cardstock on another table for the women, each being divided into irregular spaces marked with the names of various professions or distinguished qualities of one kind or another.

To these tables each one is led in turn, and upon reaching the table must be turned about twice after being blindfolded and with a wand in the hand place its point haphazard upon the chart, so learning what fate may have in store with the chagrin or the

Another in between amusement is arranged in the following fashion: Have a rosy checked little boy dressed as a Cupid postman, who carries with his bow and arrow a well filled mail bag holding valentines for each guest, who in turn read aloud what Uncle Sam has brought in the shape of verse. This little piece of nonsense adds much to the merriment of the evening.

As a parting favor let each guest receive, with a handclasp, a lady finger bound with a ring of bill paper as a symbol of pledged loyalty and love and as a solemn engagement to keep and cherish the memory of the valentine party of 1913.

For the valentine dance the favors illustrated are appropriate and mirth provoking. The wands are particularly pretty favor. It is wound with green



VALENTINE FAVORS BOTH SENTIMENTAL AND MIRTH PROVOKING

hostess will take pains to make her evening entertainment not merely a party, but "her party," planned by herself for the particular circle of friends to whom she is rendering hospitality, for it is the touch of originality and the subtle compliment to the personality of each guest which makes a gathering of this kind appreciated.

In the matter of invitations a clever idea is to trace a small map of the United States. Outline it in black or red ink and then draw as many small hearts as there may be guests expected and let a rhyme precede or follow whatever personal form the invitation may take.

As far as possible have all the decorations of the rooms pink and all other details, the menu, etc., carried out in the same rosy color. An attractive idea for the serving table, if oblong, is to have it represent an old time valentine, a border of openwork lace paper such as comes for the edges of closet shelves being laid over a pink under-cover. A box in the center of the

doors will form a charming picture. Among the heart shaped ices and

hearts, while for those gaining few, if any, might be made ready, for one a

comfort of knowing that the choice has been voluntary.

ROBBED POLICE STATION

Man Passed Detectives

With Loot

CHICAGO, Feb. 5.—When Alex Davison, chief investigator of the Chicago Law and Order league, testified last Friday to theft of records from the Irving Park police station, he told Chief-of-Police McWeeny, who was present, that it was very easy to rob a police station, and to prove his statement he promised to burglarize four other police stations.

Despite this warning the Irving Park station exploit was repeated last night at the Desplaines street station, one of the biggest in the city and one of the most numerous manned. Municipal Judge John Mahoney's court is in the Desplaines street station. When court adjourned yesterday the judge locked his files in a drawer and locked the room door.

Early today some one entered the station, nodded cheerfully at the desk sergeant, wandered through the squad room, passed the detective quarters and the offices of Lieut. Gallery and Hutchinson and up a flight of stairs. He then forced open the judge's clambers and the locked drawer and with the files under his arm retraced the course by which he had entered, passing several detectives and officers in uniform. He exhibited no suspicion.

When the robbery was called to the attention of Davison today, he laughingly evaded answer but gave an outline of his movements during the night, calculated to baffle, if not to satisfy, Chief McWeeny.

CHELMSFORD

The office of Sweetser & Day's grain company is being extensively improved. Mr. George Day and Daniel Haley are doing the work.

The school at the Centre responded yesterday morning. The teachers of the high and grammar schools report having had a very pleasant and interesting time visiting many points of interest.

Miss Florence Stille, teacher of the first grade, visited the Bartlett and Moody schools in Lowell. Miss Eva Gouffrey, teacher of the second and third grades, visited at the Centre grammar school, accompanied by Miss Helena Lyons of the third and fourth grades. Miss Mary Farnham of the fifth grade spent the day in Lowell.

Miss Helen Spaulding and Miss Susan S. McFarlin, who have charge of the sixth, seventh and eighth grades, spent the morning at Tyngsboro and the afternoon at North Billerica. Principal C. A. Hollenbeck visited the Lowell Industrial school.

Miss Helen Coffin visited the Dorchester high and grammar schools.

Mr. R. K. Brown of the engineering department of the Lowell company, Boston, was at the Central school yesterday testing the water which the pupils drink in the basements. It will

LOWELL MEN FAVOR BILL

City Officials Appeared

at Hearing in Boston

At the hearing, yesterday, before the committee on public service, on the bill providing that call firemen shall not be required to take a special civil service examination for promotion as permanent men of the department, Ex-Representative Joseph O'Connor of this city appeared as counsel for the petitioners, and Joseph E. Convery, of the Lowell department, submitted a new draft of a bill which provides that cities and towns, except the city of Boston, will have a call or part call fire department which now is, or may hereafter be, subject to civil service rules, may on the recommendation of the board of engineers of the fire department, or of the board of officers having the authority, appoint as members of the permanent force without a civil service examination, any person who has served as a call man for three or more successive years; such persons to be certified by the city or town physicians.

Also that no call man on the civil service list shall be affected by this act. Lowell men who appeared in favor of the bill on which the hearing was held included Mayor James E. O'Donnell, Commissioners Andrew E. Barrett and Lawrence Cummings; Representatives Henry Achin, Jr. and Victor F. Jewett.

Coal Talks

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Call Firemen Present

There was a large delegation of the local call firemen present at the hearing, and among the members were the following: George Crawford, Martin McNally, James H. Tracy, Frank J. Dunn, James H. Lannon, George H. McDermott, Cornelius P. Cronin, Roger J. Hayes, Jr., J. P. Convery and Hugh V. Green. Police Officers Edward F. Flanagan and Charles A. Hamilton were also present at the hearing.

AGENT C. F. RICHARDSON

Presented Report to Humane Society Directors

Agent C. F. Richardson of the Humane Society presented his January monthly report at a meeting of the directors of the society, which was held yesterday afternoon. He said he attended 34 cases of neglect, six cases of non-support, one case of a guttering child and said the last five prosecutions were made. He reported one horse killed, 12 lame and five galled horses saved from work, 15 horses blanketed during cold

days, one case of beating a horse, one case of underfeeding a horse, 25 failed horses assisted, 29 cases of loose blinders and 319 horses examined while at work. He also reported one cow found lame, two cows underfed and 32 cattle examined.

The number of cats killed during the month was 11 and 10 dogs were killed. One pig was found suffering from underfeeding and 25 pigs were without proper shelter. Seven pigs were examined in addition to those mentioned above. There were 15 crates of chickens with a total of 70 chickens, examined and faults rectified.

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MAN INSTANTLY KILLED

Jumped From Roof of Five Story Block

BOSTON, Feb. 5.—Determined to die, and regardless of the danger in which his act placed pedestrians below, an unknown man leaped off the roof of the five-story building at 324 Washington street last night about 10 o'clock and was almost instantly killed.

His body struck the curbing and rolled into the street, but a few feet away from the crowds who were passing by. The motorist of an inbound Franklin street car, jammed on his brakes for fear he would run over it.

The impact of the body was almost instantaneous with a warning cry of "Look out below," uttered in almost hysterical tones by a witness across the street, who had seen the man run to the edge of the roof and throw himself to the street.

The identity of the suicide, his motive, and for a time even the exact place from which he jumped, have remained a mystery.

Investigation later disclosed 13 footprints in the snow on top of the building. They led to the edge of a door through which he had reached the roof.

Richard Smith of 2 Union Park street, who was passing along Washington street, had a narrow escape when the body came down. As soon as he recovered from the shock he rushed to the man's side.

J. T. Baker of 321 Washington street, a medical student, John Houghton of Charlestown and George Gould of the South end ran up at the same time and carried the body into a doorway.

Mr. Baker examined the man, while other witnesses telephoned for medical assistance. By the time a physician arrived the man had died.

The military witness who was called out for the fatal warning, disappeared for a time there was doubt as to the floor from which the man had thrown himself. Several witnesses claimed it was the third floor. Investigation showed the windows there to be shut.

The searching party, led by Patrolman Flaherty and John J. Gage of division four, ascended until they came to the roof, all the time on the lookout for evidence of foul play.

On the fourth floor were several members of the I. S. W. club, who were unaware of the tragedy until told about it by the officers. They said that intoxicated men occasionally are found wandering about the premises and have to be ejected. They denied having seen the suicide however.

The fifth floor presented the same appearance as the third, empty and with windows down. The telltale tracks in the snow on the roof, however, abolished all thought of foul play in the minds of the police. They led directly to the edge of the roof above the spot where the man struck.

The body was taken in an ambulance

to the City hospital morgue, but up to a late hour had not been identified. The man was described by the police as being 5 feet 10 inches tall, weighing about 150 pounds, bald and with a gray mustache.

The Lowell board of trade will petition the city council for a read along the river bank from Read and First streets to the car barns in First street, connecting with the Lowell-Lawrence state highway, now being built. The board believes the continuation of the

route along the Bay State tracks from the Draught line into Lowell undesirable for several reasons.

In the first place, the ascent is somewhat abrupt, beginning at the city line, where the state highway ends, and it is far more abrupt on the Lowell end of First street. In the second place there is more or less exposure to wash outs at the turn in First street, where a hill rises itself to a height of 100 feet or more.

In the third place the route along the tracks is not as direct, and it affords insufficient space for the traffic which is bound to come with the completion of the state highway.

It is understood that the Locks & Canals Co. is willing to give the land for a road in order to cut off the first street hill.

Boys Walk 1,047 Miles

CHICAGO, Feb. 5.—Two boys, Walter Franklin and John Sherrill arrived in Chicago footsore last night, having completed a tramp of 1,047 miles from New York in 28 days. They said they had won a prize of \$500 each by breaking the old record of 35 days for the trip.

CONCORD, N. H., Feb. 5.—The bribery charges brought by Police Commissioner Harry A. Gregg of Nashua against State Senator Frederick J. Gaffney of that city, through a resolution introduced by Senator Prentiss of Walpole, calling for the unseating of the senator, were withdrawn yesterday.

The hearing on the charges was to have gone forward yesterday, but an executive session of the senate is understood to have reduced the number of charges on which it would permit a hearing to such an extent that the prosecution was unwilling to proceed.

Commissioner Gregg was in the city yesterday, but refused to say whether he intended to push the charges before the court or some other tribunal later.

The charges brought in the legislature against Senator Gaffney alleged the acceptance of money on three occasions for his influence to prevent the prosecution of proprietors of alleged gambling resorts at Nashua. The charges also alleged that Senator Gaffney made improper use of money in his election last fall.

The charges grew out of the campaign conducted by Commissioner Gregg against Nashua resorts. As a result of that campaign 25 persons were indicted at Manchester early in January.

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